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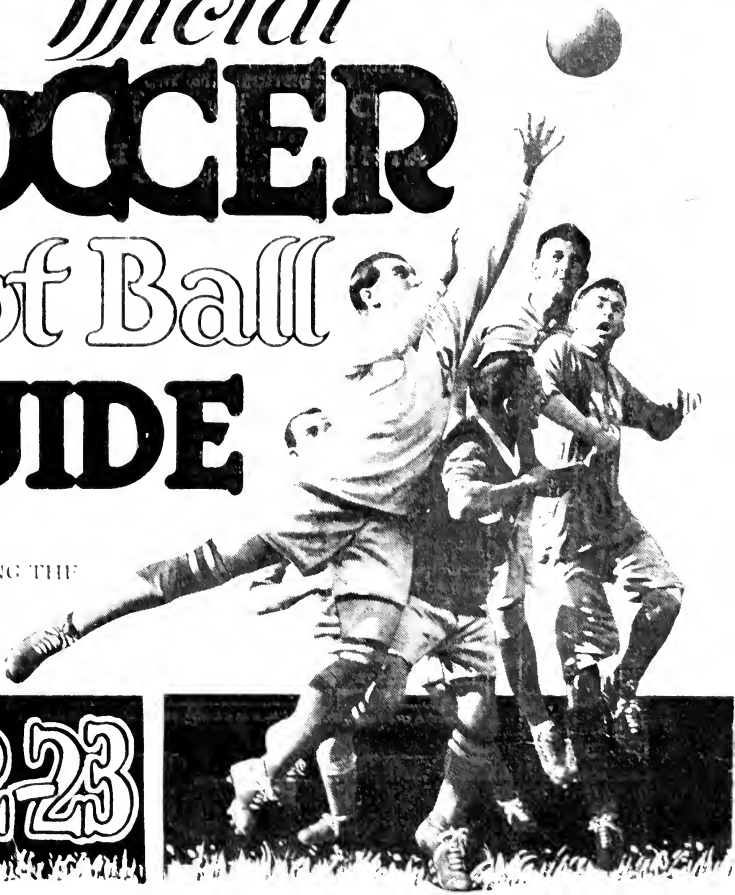

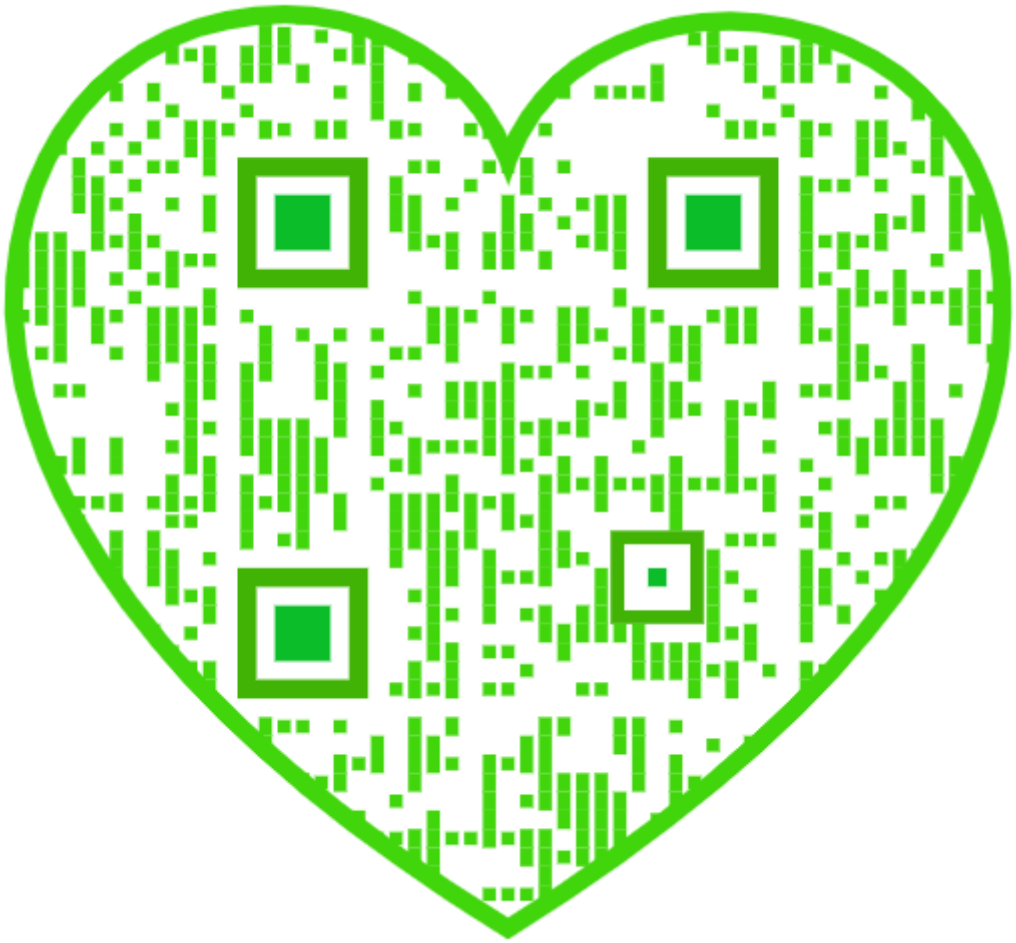

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Foreword

Entering upon its tenth season this fall under the auspices of the United States Football Association, soccer in this country is in a far more advanced state than any of its most optimistic advocates dreamed when the national body was incorporated on April 5, 1913. Its players today are more numerous than were players of baseball when it had been no longer on an organized basis than is soccer today; its following is enormous and the day is near at hand when the game will be recognized, country-wide, as the national fall-to-spring sport.

As one and another of the influences which have repressed the game's broad development have been submerged or eliminated completely, the chief retarding factor, it becomes more and more apparent each year, is the acquisition of proper parks. Several seasons past the game had progressed, in nearly half of the states of the Union, beyond the point where it had to be content with obscure playing fields. Slowly but surely it has forged its way into the big athletic parks of the country and from present indications no more than a season or two will pass before every big baseball park in the Eastern, Middle Western and Pacific Coast states will have been made available for soccer attractions from the close of one baseball season to the start of the next.

The past season or two have seen remarkable strides in the enlargement and betterment of the personnel of the promoters of the sport. Large and increasing numbers of newcomers who are men of true substance and worth have seen the merit in the game and its tremendous possibilities as an attraction, and have taken over control of clubs in various sections of the country and are rapidly placing soccer on a high plane in the public favor. Various of these have procured established parks, modern and conveniently located, for the presentation of league and cup tie soccer during the fall-to-spring months. Still others have bought or leased sites and have built or are building soccer parks which are accessible and promise the fans the maximum of comfort as well as a high quality of play.

The marked success, in its first season, of the American Soccer League, the first major professional circuit of the sport, has attracted the attention of various of the biggest sports promoters of the country to the firm grip soccer is taking in many districts on both press and public, and each franchise in this first big league of the game in this country will, by the start of its third season, be valued at almost as much as the league itself was worth in its first year.

The league's operation has shown the absolute necessity, for the game's broader advancement into the realm of a national fall-to-spring pastime, of firm financial backing for clubs in various of its districts. The penny-wise, back-lot-centered, doubtful enterprise of a number of club owners has been the most detrimental factor in the sport's steady growth this past decade. There have been encouraging signs of late in a few quarters where foresighted men have taken over clubs and have even gone so far as to buy or lease grounds on which they have erected or are building fairly modern stands for soccer followers. There is room for much more of such "outstepping" in this direction. Close attention to the publicity end of the game's promotion also has been in evidence to an encouraging extent in recent seasons.

Highly valuable public notice has been brought to the sport as an attraction by the visits to the United States of the All-Scots and Dick Kerr's Ladies' soccer team and soccer's following has had a decidedly gratifyng natural growth of recent years which promoters of the game should not be slow to acknowledge and allow for.

At the last annual meeting of the U.S.F.A. Council, at Boston, American participation in the soccer football end of the next Olympic Games was voted unanimously, and an American Olympic Soccer Fund already has been started by the national soccer body, a percentage of the receipts from the matches in the United States engaged in by the English girl tourists forming a comfortable nucleus. An Olympic Committee of the U.S.F.A. already is functioning and it should be recognized as the duty of clubs, leagues, competitions and state associations throughout the country to put their shoulders to the wheel and co-operate to the fullest extent possible in making this fund an adequate one so that America's first bid for soccer laurels in the Olympics shall not need to be handicapped by the necessity for skimping in any particular.

The Middle West has again claimed the highest honors of the sport in this country, the Scullin Steel Football Club of St. Louis downing the powerful Todd Shipyards F.C., formerly Robins Dry Dock & Repair Co. F.C., of Brooklyn, in the National Challenge Cup final, played in a downpour at High School Field, St. Louis, before nearly 9,000 fans. The Scullins came from behind with great dash and nerve and won out by a 3 to 2 score. It was the second time a St. Louis team acceded to the national championship and to the big trophy emblematic of the honor in the three years only in which the native-born St. Louis teams have competed for the title of titles in our soccer domain.

A record number, 118 clubs, was entered in the 1921-22 national championships, but in the season just opening 132 clubs stepped out after the crown, the entries being evenly divided between the Eastern and Western divisions of the competition. The enormity of the task of operating so tremendous a competition is appreciated by but a few within the organization, and those few have come to a realization that very soon the national title quest must be limited strictly to the most puissant clubs of the entire country.

The Amateur Challenge Cup Competition, operated on lines similar to those of the National Cup play, has been inaugurated and while it will be on a small scale in this, its first year, should not only provide a national conquest for lesser clubs which have been wont to enter the National Cup eliminations, but also interest a large following of strictly amateur clubs in all soccer centers.

A School and Junior Soccer Committee is functioning and the U.S.F.A. has agreed to provide trophies for competition by school and junior teams in all states where competitions are conducted. In a number of localities many hundreds of grammar and high school and junior independent soccer teams are playing.

With the future of the game as a nationally-recognized major sport virtually assured we are entering upon our greatest season of all time. There is much room for improvement in playing conditions and in the administration of the sport, however, and there should be no relaxation by soccer leaders, propagandists or administrators.

In conclusion, I wish to thank my collaborators in compiling and illustrating this record of the game's progress in the last twelve-month and express the hope that the publication will prove worthy of its intended place in the history of the sport of soccer football.

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NINTH ANNUAL MEETING.

The meeting was called to order by President George Healey at 10:30 A. M. on Monday, May 22d, 1922, in the Rubber Room of the Hotel Essex, Boston, Mass.

The roll call showed the following officers and delegates in attendance:

President George Healey.
First Vice-President Douglas Stewart.
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The absent were Ex-Presidents, Lieut.-Col. G. Randolph Manning and Peter J. Peel.

On the motion of Mr. Haddock, regularly seconded, the report of the Credentials Committee was accepted as read by their Chairman William Palmer, who stated that the Committee had left the matter of the credentials of the Delegates from North Massachusetts and New Hampshire State Football Association to be investigated by the National Council.

After hearing Mr. Percy A. Wilson and Mr. George M. Collins, spokesmen for the contending factions, on motion of Mr. Haddock, seconded by Mr. Patrick, it was unanimously resolved that Mr. George M. Collins and Mr. Samuel McAuley, Delegate and Alternate, respectively, of the North Massachusetts and New Hampshire State Football Association, be seated, and also that the North Massachusetts and New Hampshire State Football Association present immediately to the Rules and Revision Committee, a copy of the rules under which they desire to operate, to be returned to them within sixty (60) days, so that a recurrence of the controversy shall be avoided.

The courtesy of the meeting was extended to Mr. Percy A. Wilson, Mr. A. N. Beveridge, Mr. W. R. Welsh, and Mr. John Kershaw.

There being a discrepancy in the report of the Credentials Committee, Mr. Haddock moved, and Mr. Johnson seconded the motion, that the delegate from Illinois State Football Association be credited with two (2) votes.

It was regularly moved and seconded that the reading of the minutes of the Eighth Annual Meeting be dispensed with.

At this juncture, Mr. Samuel McLerie, representative of the North Massachusetts and New Hampshire State Football Association stated that the entertainment committee of their body, had arranged an elaborate program which he outlined briefly, and he hoped that all of the officers and delegates would attend the various festivities.

On motion of Mr. Patrick, seconded by Mr. Collins, the Reports of Officers were deferred until the afternoon session.

The meeting was then adjourned until 1:45 P. M.

SECOND SESSION.

The meeting reconvened at 1:45 P. M.

It was moved by Mr. Patrick, seconded by Mr. Johnson that the President's Report be accepted and filed.

On motion of Mr. Patrick seconded by Mr. Johnson, the Chairman appointed a Committee of three, to go over the report of the Secretary and report to the Council.

The Committee appointed: Mr. Angus, Mr. Booth and Mr. Patterson.

A motion was made by Mr. Hopkins, seconded by Mr. Booth, that the Report of the Treasurer be accepted and filed.

On motion of Mr. Patrick, seconded by Mr. Fernley, the Chairman appointed a committee to go over the Report of the National Commission, and also the supplementary one, and report back to the Council.

The Committee appointed: Mr. Bagnall, Mr. Hopkins and Mr. McKinlay, Jr.

Mr. A. M. Addison, Chairman of the Finance Committee, presented its report, and on motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mr. Hopkins, the report was accepted and ordered filed.

The Chairman of the Appeals Committee, not being present, his report was deferred till later.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins, seconded by Mr. Johnson, it was unanimously decided that the Appeal of the Keystone Club, of the Pittsburg Press Westmoreland League, against the decision of the U. S. F. A. Appeals Committee, be placed upon the Agenda.

Mr. Thomas Bagnall, Chairman of the National Challenge Cup Competition, Eastern Division, read the following report of the committee, and on motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mr. Cummings, the report was accepted and ordered filed, and that thanks be given the Committee for the admirable way in which they carried out their duties.

REPORT OF N.C.C.C.C. EASTERN DIVISION SEASON 1921-22.

TO THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE U.S.F.A.:

The season just closed has been unique in the annals of the N.C.C.C. as it witnessed the first attempt to divide the country into two geographical parts, East and West, for the better conducting of the National Championship.

Out of 118 entries received and accepted from all over the country, 70 were found to be on the Eastern side of the line of division, whose furthest point west was Bethlehem, Pa. One preliminary and four rounds proper, with two semi-finals, brought the Abbot Worsted F. C. of Forge Village, Mass., and the Todd Shipyards F. C. of Brooklyn, N. Y., to contend for the honor of becoming Eastern Champions, carrying with it the right to meet the Western Champions for the championship of the country. The Todd Shipyard F. C. earned this right at Fall River, Mass., February 25th, 1922, by the narrow margin of 2-1, and it must be said that they were considered to be very fortunate in the result, the Abbot Worsted F. C. being congratulated on all sides with their splendid showing against the National Champions and with the spirit they displayed they should make their mark in the coming season.

The Committee found it necessary to only hold five (5) meetings for the conducting of the Eastern division, the Emergency Committee being delegated to make all the necessary arrangements for the two semi-finals and final. Four of these meetings were held in New York and one in Fall River, Mass., and at times it would

be well to hold these future meetings at various points to enable those who may be interested to see how the Committee does its work as there seems to be prevalent an idea that it does its work behind closed doors. The net proceeds from the operation of the Eastern Division turned into the Treasury of the U. S. F. A. was $2,313.29, exclusive of entry fees and fines, and the paid attendance was 44,539.

During the season two clubs undertook to appeal to their State Association against the operation of decisions rendered against them by the Committee, and it was found incumbent to advise the said State Association, that the Committee could not admit this right in principle, as to do so would make the work of the Committee one of negation. At the same time, the aforesaid Association was advised that the Council of the U. S. F. A. was the only appellant body to which any decision of the Committee could be taken for review, and only then insofar as the rules set forth.

It would appear that one of these two cases was a legacy handed over to the Committee from the Acting President of the U. S. F. A. in his capacity as Acting Chairman of the National Commission, who had temporized with the subject under his control to the point where the Club in question seemed to defy all vested authority in the matter, and had the Acting President not have ordered the provisional acceptance of this Club's entry, the Committee would no doubt have rejected same, but after accepting his authority in the premises the Committee felt it incumbent to further carry out his instructions and when same were ignored to apply the penalty under the rules for such defiance of authority, that coming within their province.

I wish to thank, at this time, all those members of the Committee who served the Association, also all those who came to the rescue of the Association upon the sudden disappearance of the late Secretary, who left everything in such a state of chaos at the most critical time of the Competition.

In this connection, while not wishing to specialize I would particularly call to the attention of the Association, the readiness with which the former Secretary, Thomas W. Cahill, jumped into the breach and took up the reins of office, although burdened with many other matters.

The proposed changes of the rules as offered by the Committee, are the result of their observations and are left to the discretion of the Council for their consideration.

Respectfully yours,

THOS. BAGNALL,
Chairman N.C.C.C. Committee, Eastern Division.

Mr. Winton E. Barker, Chairman of the National Challenge Cup Competition Committee, Western Division, read the following report of the Committee, and on motion of Mr. Murray, seconded by Mr. Cahill, the Chairman of the Council appointed a Committee of three to investigate certain data in the report, and place the matter before the council for its action.

Committee: Mr. Brown, Mr. Murray and Mr. Riley.

St. Louis, Mo., May 15th, 1922.

TO THE PRESIDENT, OFFICERS AND DELEGATES OF THE UNITED STATES FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION.

Gentlemen:

In submitting my report as Chairman of the Western Division of the National Challenge Cup Competition, I am pleased to say that the Western District in general, has enjoyed a most successful season. Soccer has advanced to such an extent in some sections, that the promoters are compelled to devote special energy and attention to the welfare of the organization, in order to prevent the bigger men in our community from stepping in and taking from us, what we have adopted and have been so carefully nursing and building up in the past. The most logical means for protecting our interests and preventing this loss will be to prove to the public, that we are strong enough and thoroughly capable of handling our own proposition.

In some sections, however, very slight progress has been shown. Notwithstanding the competition was a new adventure, better results should have been obtained and unless an effort is made to inject more enthusiasm and an up-to-date business-like spirit into the promoters in those particular sections, no better results can be anticipated. The lack of co-operation and harmony on the part of the representatives in these districts is, in my mind, greatly responsible for the failure to obtain the desired results.

The lack of co-operation embraces negligence on the part of some of the members in giving proper attention to matters that were referred to them for their approval and suggestion, and failing to reply to correspondence directed to them and most vital to their interest, as well as failure to acknowledge the correspondence, has made it exceedingly hard on the part of our Secretary and has caused his office much unnecessary work and expense.

I would suggest that special attention be given in the appointment of competent delegates to all Cup Games, in order to obtain the best possible results in conducting such matches, with the least expense to the organization. My experience has been that carelessness has been shown in making out the delegates' financial report. For instance, I noticed where unused tickets had been returned to our Secretary the amount of unsold tickets should tally with the report of adults' and childrens' tickets sold, but in some cases a total number of tickets, both adults and children were simply torn from the rolls of adults' tickets, showing no sale of childrens' tickets when the report mentioned them. This was evidence that the tickets furnished by the Association had not been properly used. In such cases, the expense of having tickets printed and not used, would be a useless expense to the Competition as well as a reckless method of handling the gate.

May I also suggest that an effort be made to develop more competent referees? In all lines of competitive athletics, the greater percentage of the success of the competition rests in the hands of that official. This was clearly demonstrated in the Western Final. Had the Referee resorted to discipline more strictly in conducting the game, he would have prevented the unpleasant occurrence in that game, which I am sorry to state, led to the controversy causing our Secretary to request that I accept his resignation, which I refused to do.

I wish to take advantage of this opportunity to thank the members of the Western Committee for the splendid co-operation and assistance given me in conducting the affairs of the Western Competition. I wish to thank our worthy Secretary, Mr. J. G. Barrett, for his most excellent services and only regret he saw fit to request me to accept his resignation.

The Western Competition comprised forty-eight entries and was divided into four rounds, semi-finals and final, the final game having been decided on January 22d, declaring the Scullin Steel Football Club, the western champions. An effort was made to complete the Western Competition at an early date, in order that the National Final could be arranged for a date on which no opposition would interfere with our attraction.

I wish to congratulate the Scullin Team representing St. Louis on their success in the Grand Final, moreover, from the fact, that every man on the team was a native born boy and received his education in soccer in the city he represented. I also wish to congratulate the Todds, as winners of the Eastern Division and for the splendid exhibition they put up in the Grand Final. At the same time, I wish to criticize most emphatically, the action of their manager for the vile statement made by him and which he allowed to be published concerning the unfair treatment the Todd team received at the hands of the St. Louis public, the sport writers and the Scullin team, which I must say tainted the atmosphere that surrounded the wind-up of our competition.

Regarding the financial results of the Western Division, a comparison of the financial report of the entire Cup Competition submitted in the annual report of the Secretary will speak for itself.

Respectfully,

WINTON E. BARKER,

Chairman, N.C.C.C. Committee, Western Division.

Mr. Douglas Stewart, Chairman of the National Challenge Cup Competition Committee, read his report, and on motion of Mr. Patterson, seconded by Mr. Patrick, the report was accepted and ordered filed, and that certain data in possession of Mr. Stewart referring to incidents in the National Final, be turned over to the Committee for investigation.

Mr. Bagnall, Chairman of the Reinstatement Committee, stated that he had no report to make as the Committee had not met.

In connection with this, it was moved by Mr. Collins and seconded by Mr. Johnson, that the action of the National Commission relative to the reinstatement of players be referred to the council for its action.

There was no report read from the Committee on National and International Games, as at no time during the past year was there any occasion for calling a meeting.

The Chairman at this time declared a recess of five minutes. The members repaired to Rooms E and F, which were aptly termed the rendezvous of the Expeditionary Forces.

There was no report from the Olympic Committee, as there was no occasion for the holding of any meetings.

Mr. Douglas Stewart, Chairman of the Rules and Revision Committee, read his report, and on motion of Mr. Haddock, seconded by Mr. Hopkins, the report was accepted and ordered filed.

Chairman John A. Fernley read the report of the Committee on Promotion of School and Junior Soccer, and on motion of Mr. Haddock, regularly seconded, the chair appointed a committee to go over the various matters contained therein and report to the council. Committee: Mr. Johnson, Mr. Collins and Mr. Cahill.

Chairman Douglas Stewart of the Committee to Draft Rules for the Amateur Cup Competition, read the report of the Committee, and a motion was made by Mr. Haddock, seconded by Mr. Johnson, that the report be accepted, and that the United States Football Association conduct a strictly Amateur Cup Competition each year, and that suitable trophies be offered, and that a Committee be appointed to make rules for the competition beginning the ensuing year.

For the information of the Council, Mr. Cahill read a communication from the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States, defining an amateur according to it; rules.

The meeting was then adjourned until Tuesday, May 23d, at 2 P. M.

THIRD SESSION.

The meeting was reconvened at 2:15 P. M., Tuesday, May 23, 1922, President George Healey presiding.

The roll call showed all the officers and delegates present with the exception of Ex-President Peter J. Peel.

The courtesy of the meeting was extended to Mr. A. R. Curley of the Boston American, Mr. Neilson, Mr. Wilford and Mr. George Klosterman.

A letter was received from the North Massachusetts and New Hampshire State Football Association, and the status of certain delegates was questioned by Mr. McAuley.

The Chair ruled that the delegates in question had presented credentials, which were accepted by the National Council, who had ordered the delegates seated and they were entitled to their seats in the Council.

Mr. Fernley made an appeal from the ruling of the Chair.

Mr. Healey retired and First Vice-President Stewart took the chair.

It was regularly moved and seconded that the ruling of the Chairman be sustained. The counting of the votes showed twenty-seven affimative votes against thirteen negative votes.

President Healey returned to the Chair.

The Chairman was requested to state the number of votes to which a delegate was entitled, and he ruled that the Credentials Committee, in passing on the credentials of the delegates, verified the number of votes to which each delegate was entitled, and this data was recorded in their report, and endorsed by the National Council, and the delegates shall be entitled to the number of votes as recorded in the report of the Credentials Committee.

The following report of the committee appointed to go over the Secretary's report was read by their Chairman, Joe Booth. On motion of Mr. Booth, seconded by Mr. Johnson, the report of the Secretary was accepted and ordered filed:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE SECRETARY'S REPORT.

Boston, Mass., May 23d, 1922.

The Committee appointed by the President to make recommendations on the various suggestions offered by the Secretary, met this (Tuesday) morning and discussed each one thoroughly. We find that several of them are being taken care of by other similar committees, such as the School and Junior Soccer, National Amateur Cup Competition, Committees.

We recommend that the Eastern and Western Cup Competition committees be dispensed with, and that one single cup competition committee be appointed to handle the competition as in previous seasons.

We also recommend that the committee declare itself in favor of every effort being made to send a team to participate in the Olympic Games to be played in France in 1924.

We also recommend that an effort should be made to bring the States of Tennessee, Georgia, Colorado, Utah, Iowa and Washington into our ranks as members of this National body. The council to make such recommendation as it thinks fit to either send a representative or use other methods to bring about the affiliation of the said mentioned states.

The financial end of the report is taken care of by the report of the Treasurer but it shows a gratifying state of affairs.

JOE BOOTH,
WILLIAM ANGUS,
A. PATTERSON.

Mr. Bagnall read the report of the committee to go over the Reports of the National Commission, and on his motion, seconded by Mr. Patrick, the reports of the National Commission, including the supplementary report following, were accepted and ordered filed:

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE NATIONAL COMMISSION OF THE UNITED STATES FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION, HELD AT THE HOTEL ESSEX, BOSTON, MASS., MAY 21, 1922.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Healey, at 2:41 P. M.
The roll call showed the following present:

President George Healey,
First Vice-President, Douglas Stewart,
Second Vice-President, Winton E. Barker,
Third Vice-President, Joe Booth,
Treasurer, William S. Haddock.

1. On motion of First Vice-President Stewart, seconded by Second Vice-President Barker, Mr. J. F. Sullivan was appointed stenographer for the meeting of the National Commission and for the Ninth Annual Meeting of the United States Football Association. This motion was unanimously carried.

2. There being no objection, the courtesy of the meeting was extended to Mr. James A. Riley.

3. In the case of player, James Dougherty, (professional) 405 Palmer St., Fall River, Mass., for signing professional form 1760 for the Universal Tigers F. C. of Fall River, Mass., while still a registered player for the St. Michaels F. C. of Fall River, Mass., it was moved by Treasurer Haddock and seconded by Third Vice-President Booth that a fine of Ten Dollars ($10.00) be imposed upon him. The motion was unanimously carried.

4. In the case of player James Ainscough, 205 Fulmer Ave., Akron, Ohio, who, after signing a professional form on February 19th, 1919, for the Goodyear F. C., later on signed amateur forms and played for the Firestone F. C., the Bricklayers F. C., and the Cuddy F. C., without having been reinstated as an amateur, on motion of Second Vice-President Barker, seconded by Treasurer Haddock, it was unanimously decided that he be suspended indefinitely.

5. In the case of player John R. Silvia, 814 Pleasant Street, Fall River, Mass., who played for the Fall River F. C. without being registered with them, it was moved by Treasurer Haddock, seconded by First Vice-President Stewart, that his suspension be lifted, in as much as he and his club had submitted proofs that his registration form had been mailed to the office of the National Secretary, and lost in transit. This motion was carried unanimously.

6. In the case of player Ralph Caraffi, Harmarville, Pa., for having played with the Harmarville F. C., without being registered as a professional of that team, and later for having played as an amateur without having been reinstated as an amateur, on motion of First Vice-President Stewart, seconded by Second Vice-President Barker, it was unanimously resolved that this player be suspended for one year, and that a fine of Twenty-Five Dollars ($25.00) be imposed upon him.

7. In the case of player Hugh Forsythe, 20 Roden P, Toronto, Canada, for having made contradictory statements in his reinstatement application as an amateur, with reference to the date of first having become a professional, it was moved by Third Vice-President Booth, and seconded by Second Vice-President Barker, that this player be suspended for one year and that a fine of Fifteen Dollars be imposed upon him. This motion was unanimously carried.

8. In the case of player Thomas Robertson, on motion of First Vice-President Stewart, seconded by Treasurer Haddock, it was resolved that the decision of the Reinstatement Committee, not to reinstate him, be upheld. This motion carried unanimously.

9. In the case of player Frank W. Adams, on motion of First Vice-President Stewart, and seconded by Third Vice-President Booth, it was resolved that the decision of the Reinstatement Committee to reinstate him be upheld. This motion was carried unanimously.

10. Regarding the proposed tour of the Newcastle United Ladies Football Club, it was ordered to remain in abeyance until further details are received from The Football Association, Ltd.

11. On motion of Treasurer Haddock, seconded by Third Vice-President Booth, it was unanimously voted that the Rules and Revision Committee be requested to send, in each instance, a copy of the Constitution and By-Laws of the affiliated State Associations to the office of the National Secretary.

12. An application for affiliation as a member in the United States Football Association was received from the Southeastern Soccer Football League, with headquarters at Washington, D. C.

It was moved by Third Vice-President Booth, and seconded by Second Vice-President Barker, that the application of the Southeastern Soccer Football League be accepted. Upon being put to a vote, the motion was carried, four votes for acceptance and one vote for rejection.

There being no further business to consider, the meeting was adjourned, subject to call.

Mr. Andrew Brown presented the following report of the committee appointed to go over the report of the National Challenge Cup Committee, Western Division, and on motion of Mr. Brown, seconded by Mr. Johnson, the report of the National Challenge Cup Committee, Western Division, was accepted and ordered filed:

Boston, Mass., May 23, 1922.

Mr. President and Gentlemen:

THE QUESTION OF SUITABLE DELEGATES.

Committee recommends that the Western Committee follow procedure of last season in securing from the various State Associations within their district lists of available men from which suitable delegates can be chosen from time to time as required.

This practice had been observed during the past season, but unfortunately the lists were not available in time to be of any great service in the early rounds.

RECOMMENDATIONS IN CONNECTION WITH THE DEVELOPMENT OF REFEREES.

That the Committee finds in discussing the matter of development of referees that the Referees' Union is not keeping pace with the development of the game and that we recommend that it (the Referees' Union) devise some means of overcoming this condition and that this Council consider the advisability of aiding in the work to the extent of furnishing financial assistance in the formation of classes.

CHARGES AGAINST SCULLIN S.F.C.

No evidence has been found in support of the charges rendered by Mr. John R. Drysdale in his communication, addressed to Mr. Stewart, dated March 23, 1922, to the effect that players of the Todds' Team had been threatened, assaulted or interfered with during the progress of the games. The original report of Referee Young is silent on any incident of the game, but his supplementary report dated May 4th, 1922, addressed to Mr. Winton Barker, in reply to Mr. Barker's request of April 25th, 1922, reads in part as follows:

"It is not true that the Referee was continually abused by C. Brady, although I am sorry to state that the remark was made to me during the heat of the game by a Scullin player that if they did not win I would not get off the field alive. I did not know which player made the remark, hence the reason I did not take any action nor mention same in my report."

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW M. BROWN,
Chairman of Committee on the
Report of the N.C.C.C.—Western Committee.

Mr. Johnson presented the following report of the committee appointed to go over the report of the Committee for Promotion of School and Junior Soccer. Mr. Johnson moved and Mr. McKinlay, Jr., seconded the motion, that the report of the Committee on Promotion of School and Junior Soccer be accepted and filed, together with the following amendments, and that these be adopted by the United States Football Association, and that the committee in charge of this revise the rules for Junior Soccer.

Minutes of the Committee to look into the report of the Committee on Promotion of School and Junior Soccer, held at the Hotel Essex, Boston, Mass., May 23d, 1922:

This Committee unanimously recommends that the report of the Committee on Promotion of School and Junior Soccer, be accepted and filed, with the following recommendatory amendments, and that these be adopted by the Council of the U. S. F. A.

1. Resolved that the United States Football Association shall issue free tickets to the National Challenge Cup Competitions, through the National Challenge Cup Committee, these tickets to be allotted to the State Associations requesting same, at the discretion of the Cup Committee. The State Associations are to be held responsible for the proper distribution of all free tickets issued to them. Further be it resolved that all State Associations and Cup Competitions under the jurisdiction of the U. S. F. A. amend their rules to provide for the distribution of free tickets for all games held within their jurisdiction.

2. Resolved that the Committee on Promotion of School and Junior Soccer be one (1) committee, consisting of five (5) members, two (2) from the East, two (2) from the West, the locality of the Chairman of the Committee to be left to the discretion of the President.

3. Resolved that the State Associations organize School Soccer to the best advantage of the game in their particular locality, and so amend their rules that the Schools shall become associate members of the State Association, that the Schools shall be non dues-paying members, and that the players shall not be compelled to pay registration fees.

4. Resolved that the matter of Junior Soccer is entirely covered under the large scope of the organization of School Soccer (Paragraph 3), and that same be deleted.

5. Resolved that the U. S. F. A. set aside from the treasury, the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1000.00) to be expended by the Committee for the promotion of School and Junior Soccer, for the sole purpose of the promotion of the game in schools throughout the jurisdiction of the U. S. F. A. It is hereby understood that this sum of $1000.00 shall cover all expenses of the Committee, whether traveling expenses, or the cost of trophies awarded at their discretion.

6. Resolved that the subject of a Schoolboys' Challenge Cup Competition is covered under Paragraph 5, where the matters are left to the discretion of the Committee.

MORRIS W. JOHNSON,
Chairman.
T. W. CAHILL,
GEO. COLLINS.

DELEGATE'S REPORT OF THIRD LANARK TOUR

Mr. Cahill read the following report of the tour of the Third Lanark Football Club.

In submitting my report of the trip of the All Scots Football Team to this country, in which I was honored by appointment as U. S. F. A. Delegate, I regret that I

have to do more than submit the mere statistics of the venture. With my report you will have for consideration a petition from the Dominion of Canada Football Association for aid in meeting a deficit which they state grew out of the enterprise.

I am sorry to say that I do not know the merits of their contention that the U.S.F.A. is morally responsible for this deficit, if it has any merit. I do not believe it has. The trip was managed by David Roy and Daniel McNeill, respectively secretary-treasurer and president of the Dominion F. A. They have never apprised me of any of the details of their arrangements with the Scots, and in fact have shown a lack of frankness in the whole matter that I do not think complimentary to our association.

When the matter of the trip was first taken up, I was Honorary Secretary of the United States Football Association. As such, Mr. Roy, who seemed to be the active head of the management, wrote to me soliciting dates in this country. I asked for details as to what it would cost, and was told that the D. F. A. would expect a guarantee of $3,000 a game. I promptly wrote Mr. Roy that this was absolutely out of the question. It was proposed to bring the team here in midsummer, long after our season was ended, and when baseball was at the very pinnacle of its appeal. Quite a correspondence by mail and wire developed, all of which was submitted to you with the original proposition. You will remember that its conclusion was that we would not feel justified in offering a guarantee in excess of $1000 per game, with the privilege of 75 per cent. of the gross gate receipts. This proposition was accepted and it was on this basis that the trip was arranged and made. At no time did I encourage the promoters of the trip to think that they could expect more. I was under the impression at the time that the Scots were merely anxious to see this country and were pleased at the prospect of making the trip without cost. Properly managed the trip from Montreal to New York, and their expenses here should not have gone much over $6,000 which was the amount guaranteed for six games.

The trip was more successful than I had anticipated. The Scots in this country rallied loyally to their kinsmen from across the seas, and at the conclusion of the series of games we had paid to Mr. Roy and Mr. McNeill, approximately $11,000, which was $5,000 in excess of what we had promised and certainly sufficient to have covered all expenses with a fair margin.

I was pleased with the result, and up to the night of the farewell dinner given to the visitors, understood and in fact had been told by Mr. Roy that everything had worked out well and that they were satisfied with the results. To my amazement, when Mr. Roy spoke at this farewell dinner he declared that the trip to this country had been a complete financial failure and would leave the D. F. A. with a deficit of $5,000 to meet. The trip through Canada, he said, had been successful in every way and that the small towns in western Canada had shown better results than the big cities here.

This is where my own knowledge of the facts ends. Mr. Roy has never given me the slightest information as to how or why the trip here was a failure, when, on the face of the returns it appeared to be such an unexpected success. He told me he would call on me at my office before returning to Canada to talk things over, but, while I know he was down-town in New York and must have passed the door of my office on two subsequent occasions, he did not even drop in to say goodbye. My further knowledge, therefore, is confined to what I have heard and what I have read in Canadian newspapers, especially the Montreal Star, which made the trip the occasion of a series of abusive articles, wholly without truth, about the U. S. F. A. and about me. Mr. Scholefield informed me that at the pier, when the Scotsmen were leaving, Mr. Roy had told him that he had guaranteed the Scots $2,000 a game and expenses for the American tour, and Mr. Scholefield further informed me he had seen Mr. Roy pay the managers of the Scottish team $12,000 in discharge of this obligation.

Since then I have read in the Montreal Star that the actual truth was that before the visitors left Scotland for Canada, they had been promised $500 a man and their expenses for the whole tour. This strikes me as being nearer the truth than the guarantee of $2,000 per game for the games here and it forces the conclusion that the receipts for the games in Canada failing to net a sufficient profit to meet this obligation, the trip here was projected on the wild hope that sufficient could be made here to cover the Canadian deficit. The unfairness of this is so obvious that it does not call for comment.

Another point that is interesting, and which I gathered from the same Montreal newspaper, is that in Canada the players were limited to railroad fares, hotel bills and $5 a day allowance for meals. In this country there seemed no limit on any expense, and the players meals came nearer averaging $5 a meal than $5 a day. There were other incidents of the trip that struck me as indicating mismanagement but as that matter was wholly out of my province, I had nothing to say about it. Had I known that an effort was to be made to declare us in on a losing venture after the loss had been sustained, I would have acted differently.

Another point that is worth remembering is that in all of our preliminary correspondence I was given to understand that we were entering into an agreement with the Dominion of Canada Football Association for the tour, and also since then it became evident that the trip to this side of the border did not net sufficient returns to make up the Canadian deficit. But I saw a statement in a Canadian paper that there had never been any agreement between the D. F. A. and the U. S. F. A. covering the trip. This prompted me to look up our copy of the contract. The contract had been prepared by Mr. Roy and submitted by him to us for signature. We had signed it without any special scrutiny, but when I looked it over, I was rather startled to notice that the instrument in its preamble declares that it is a contract between the United States Football Association and "David Roy, Traffic Manager" and "Daniel McNeill contractor." The contract is signed, however, by "David Roy, Secretary-Treasurer of the D. F. A." and "Daniel McNeill, President D. F. A." And I confess that I do not now know whether the trip to this country was made under the auspices and at the risk of the D. F. A., or whether it was a personal venture on the part of Messrs. Roy and McNeill in their capacities of Traffic Manager and Contractor.

If this latter should prove the legal interpretation of the contract, as I fancy it would be, then we are put in the positiotn of having sanctioned a tour arranged by private promoters, a violation of our own rules.

I cannot see, therefore, where there is the slightest reason for our holding ourselves responsible for any part of the deficit, caused by this trip. While I admit the educational advantage so strongly urged by Messrs. Roy and McNeill, I feel that it is more than offset by the surplus we paid the visitors in excess of our promise. If we are to be held responsible for all of the loss on the trip, then we surely should have had some voice in arranging it. The team came to Canada in May, while the soccer season was still on, and had the Scots come here at that time, they would undoubtedly have made their $2,000 a game over expenses. But we had nothing to do with that and the good dates were all used in Canada. As I pointed out in the beginning, when they got here, Soccer was a dead issue, and it was uncomfortably hot to sit in a grandstand and watch a game.

I have no objection to helping out a sister association in any practical manner, and in fact have always been willing and anxious to encourage games between teams of this country and Canada for the promotion of a friendly spirit between the two countries and for the profit that would undoubtedly have accrued to our visitors, but I must confess to a sharp resentment against being made responsible for a losing enterprise after all the loss has been sustained, without ever having had a chance to have any voice in the management of the enterprise, and then to have the matter put up to us almost as a demand, preceded by a campaign of falsehood and abuse in the Canadian press.

As to the actual details of the trip, I met the Scots, Mr. Roy and Mr. McNeill in Montreal on July 8th, and saw the last game in Canada, played in Montreal on the 9th. I accompanied the team to New York, reaching here on July 10th. We were met at Grand Central Station by a reception committee under the chairmanship of Mr. Andrew M. Brown. The other members of the committee were Messrs. Thomas Bagnall and Chas. Treacy, representing the Southern New York State Football Ass'n., Messrs. Thomas Walsh and William Patrick, representing the New Jersey State Football Association and Messrs. McMillan and Andrew Beveridge representing the American Football Association.

The visitors were quartered at the Hotel Imperial and on July 11th were the guests of the American Football Association on a trip to Coney Island with a shore dinner. On the night before their departure for home the visitors were the guests of the United States Football Association at a farewell dinner given at the Hotel

Imperial with Mr. Andrew M. Brown as toastmaster. The U. S. F. A. was officially represented by the First Vice-President, Douglas Stewart and myself, the official delegate of the U. S. F. A.

At this dinner there was presented to the visitors a handsome silver cup, donated to the U. S. F. A. for this special purpose by Messrs. Dieges & Clust. This gift was highly appreciated not only because of its value, but of its beauty as well. It was suitably engraved with the club colors of the visitors enameled over the inscription. To each individual member of the visiting team was presented a pair of gold cuff links at a cost of $144. The association was indebted to Colonel Walter Scott for a donation of $100 to help defray the expenses of the dinner and souvenirs.

These were the only true mass entertainments undertaken in New York, though individual members of the visiting party were escorted to baseball games and points of interest by local enthusiasts who desired to show their spirit of hospitality and it was generally admitted that the social side of the visit was in every way successful, so, as has been pointed out before, were the playing and business phases of the tour.

The first game in this country was played on the afternoon of the day of their arrival, July 10th, against the Celtics of Jersey City, at Jersey City. The visitors won with a score of 4 goals to 2, despite rainy weather. There was a total paid attendance of 3,136 with a gross gate of $3,696.30. The expenses were $1,240.44, leaving a net return of $2,455.86 of which the Third Lanark received $1,600 and the Celtics F. C. $855.86.

The second game was played against the Bethlehem Steel F. C. at Bethlehem, Pa., on July 13th. The total attendance was 2,615, with a gross gate of $1,821.40, expenses of $171.75 and a net gate of $1,649.65 of which the Third Lanark received $1,159.21 and the Bethlehem Steel $490.44. The game was won by the Third Lanark by the top-heavy score of 8 goals to 1. On the evening of the game the visitors were entertained at a dinner given by the Bethlehem Club, with H. Edgar Lewis as toastmaster.

The following day the Third Lanarks played against All Philadelphia at Tacony, Pa., winning by a score of 3 goals to 1. The total paid attendance was 4,276 with gross gate receipts of $2,962.65, less the war tax, leaving a net gate of $2,666.40 of which the visitors received $2,000 and the Philadelphia F. C. $666.40. While in Philadelphia the visitors were entertained at a luncheon by Mr. Milton H. Hohlfeld, President of the American Industrial League.

Returning to New York the Third Lanark played the New York F. C. at New York Oval on July 17th. Despite the broiling heat the game was a splendid one, the visitors winning by a score of 2 goals to 1. The total attendance was 3,397 with a gross gate of $3,872.50 and expenses of $742.05, leaving a net gate of $3,130.45, of which the Third Lanark received $2,000 and the New York F. C. $1,130.45. In this game Mr. Roy voluntarily and on his own initiative waived his rights to 75 per cent. of the gate receipts and permitted the home club to charge a ground rent and an advertising bill against the gate receipts, all of which should have been borne by the home club, thereby surrendering $613.94, to which he was properly entitled on behalf of the visiting club.

The most unsatisfactory game of the series was played at Lynn, Mass., against the General Electric F. C. on July 19th. The officials of the U. S. F. A. had been assured that the General Electric had an enclosed field where the game could be played under normal conditions. Instead it was played in a public park where a City Ordinance did not permit of a compulsory admission fee. The total attendance was estimated at about 5,000 of whom 2,473 paid the $1.00 admission fee. Collections from automobiles netted $30.00 more, giving a gross gate of $2,503.00 and a net gate of $2,255.70 after deduction of war tax of $247.30. The Third Lanark received $1,700 and the General Electric $55.70. This settlement has never been definitely completed and the dispute about it is still to be settled. The Scots won the game by a score of 6 to 3 goals, though it was a much better game than this score would indicate.

The concluding game of the tour was played at Fall River on July 21st, with a paid attendance of 3,163 and a gross gate of $3,190.80, less war tax, making the net gate $2,871.72 of which the Third Lanark received $2,114.30 and the Fall River F. C. $757.42. This was the final game of the tour in this country and according to the Third Lanark was better than any game they had played in Canada.

The teams were perfectly matched and after a desperate struggle played at a terrific pace, the game ended in a tie of two goals each.

The visitors then returned to New York and the farewell dinner was given them on the evening of July 22d, and the party sailed for home on July 23rd.

To recapitulate, the total amounts received by Mr. Roy as the Financial Director of the Third Lanarks was $10,573.51. With his later complaints about the "failure" of the games in this country, it might be worth while to note that by departing from the agreement as to the admission fee to be charged at various places and by making private agreements with club managers, because as he expressed it "I want to be a good sport," he sacrificed amounts he would otherwise have secured, as follows:

Jersey City, July 10th	$895.00
Bethlehem, Pa., July 13th	572.40
Philadelphia, July 16th	1,008.90
New York, N. Y., July 17th	613.94
Fall River, Mass., July 21st	39.49
Total	$3,129.73

The members of the Third Lanark party were as follows:

OFFICIALS.

Colonel J. B. Wilson, V.D.J.P.
R. M. Connel, Famous writer and organizer.
Andrew Mitchell, Director.
T. P. Sloan, Director
W. Biggar, Trainer.
Mrs. Mitchell and young son.
D. McNeill, President Dominion of Canada F. A.
D. W. Roy, Secretary Dominion of Canada F. A.

PLAYERS.

J. Brownlie	C. McCormick	N. McBain	W. Rankin
W. Bullock	J. Scott	A. Bennett	D. Thompson
J. E. Gordon	G. Brown	J. McMenemy	J. Low
R. M. Orr	W. McAndrew	A. Wilson	

Respectfully submitted,

T. W. CAHILL,
U. S. F. A. Delegate in charge of All Scots Tour.

On motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mr. Cummings, the report was accepted and the committee discharged with the thanks of the Organization.

A recess was declared for five minutes.

RULE CHANGE PROPOSALS.

On motion of Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. Johnson, Rule XIV, page 14, was changed as follows:

Strike out the following:

"Members of the Council may be represented at the meeting by proxies; but such proxies must submit to both the President and the Secretary of the Council three days before the meeting an instrument appointing the proxy in writing, under the hand of the appointer. Each proxy must be a member of a club under the jurisdiction of this Association."

On motion of Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. Johnson, Rule XVIII, page 15, was changed as follows:

After the word "bonded" on line 9, continue as follows:

"for a sum not less than Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000).

On motion of Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. Fernley, Rule III, page 29, of the National Challenge Cup Rules, was changed as follows:

Strike out "at a suitable place" and substitute "on a neutral ground."

On motion of Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. Johnson, Rule III, page 29, was changed as follows:

Strike out on line 6—"and each having its own committee."

On motion of Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. Fernley, Rule III, pages 29-30, was changed as follows:

Strike out paragraphs 3 and 4, make new paragraph reading:

"One or more persons not necessarily members of the Council, shall be appointed by the committee to act as commissioners in each district. Their duties will be to appoint delegates, referees and linesmen for each game under their jurisdiction."

(These changes will call for necessary changes in paragraph 5). Strike out paragraph 6 and make new paragraph reading:

"An Emergency Committee, consisting of the Chairman and Secretary of the N.C.C. Committee, shall decide on urgent matters (as suspensions, change of grounds, substitution of delegates and referees, extension of time) between meetings of the committee, its decisions being subject to the approval of the committee."

On motion of Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. Patterson, Rule VII, page 32, of the National Challenge Cup Rules, was changed as follows:

After word "selected" line 5, insert "also list of players about to play." After the word "Committee" on line eleven, strike out down to word "Association" ending on line thirteen, and insert semi-colon, followed by—"Copies of this objection must also be handed to the referee and the captain of the opposing team before commencement of game."

The meeting was adjourned until 9:00 A. M. Wednesday morning, May 24, 1922.

FOURTH SESSION.

The meeting convened at 9:15 A. M. on Wednesday, May 24th, 1922.

The roll call showed all officers and delegates present, with the exception of Ex-President Peter J. Peel.

The courtesy of the meeting was extended to John R. Drysdale, and Thomas A. Gibson.

Upon motion by Mr. Patrick, seconded by Mr. Fernley, Rule XXVI, on page 41, was changed as follows:

Strike out paragraph 5, and write new paragraph as follows:

"In the qualifying round the admission fee shall be not less than 25 cents: in all other rounds up to the semi-final round, not less than 50 cents; in the semi-final round not less than 75 cents and in the final round, not less than $1.00."

Upon motion by Mr. Patrick, seconded by Mr. Fernley, Rule XXXIII, on page 44, was changed as follows:

On line 1, strike out the words, "or the National Commission."

Upon motion by Mr. Patrick, seconded by Mr. Fernley, Rule II, on page 45 of Standing Orders, was changed as follows:

After "members on line 2, strike out remainder of rule and insert:

"of the Council or of the National Commission. These circular notes shall be mailed simultaneously to the various members by the Secretary. Each member must return such circular note to the Secretary after having recorded his vote not later than 48 hours after the circular may reasonably be presumed to have reached its destination."

Upon motion by Mr. Hopkins, seconded by Mr. Fernley, Rule XII, on page 47 of the Standing Orders, was changed as follows:

Add to list "Publicity Committee."

Upon motion by Mr. Hopkins, seconded by Mr. Fernley, Rule XV, on page 15, was changed as follows:

On line 6, strike out the word "at" and insert "7 days in advance of."

Also Rule XVII, on page 15, was changed as follows:

On line 11, strike out the word "at" and insert "7 days in advance of."

Also Rule XVIII, on page 15, was changed as follows:

On line 7, strike out the word "at" and insert "7 days in advance of."

A letter was read from the Michigan Soccer Association to the Missouri Soccer Football Association protesting against the mistreatment of the Caledonian F.C. by players and spectators in the Western Final of the National Challenge Cup Competition.

On motion of Mr. Patterson, seconded by Mr. Viberg, a vote of censure was placed on the National Challenge Cup Competition Committee, Western Division, for the inadequate suspension placed upon certain players during the Western Final.

This motion was carried by a vote of 23-12.

Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. Fernley, made a motion to change Rule XV, on page 48, to read:

"No member of the Council shall be eligible for appointment to any committee who has been a resident of the United States for a period of seven years or over, without becoming a citizen of the United States."

After considerable discussion in which Mr. Brown, Mr. Patrick, Mr. Hopkins, Mr. Walsh, Mr. Collins, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Fernley, Mr. Palmer, Mr. Patterson and the Reverend Father Thompson took part, the motion was defeated.

Upon motion by Mr. Hopkins, seconded by Mr. Patterson, the proposed change in Rule VI, page 12, was referred back to the Committee on Rules and Revision to be amended.

Upon motion by Mr. Patterson, seconded by Mr. Ross, Rule XVII, page 15, was changed as follows:

"The Secretary shall keep a roll of all members of the Council and give notice of all meetings at least three weeks in advance and such notice shall be followed by an agenda, specifying the nature of the business to be transacted. He shall keep the minutes of the proceedings of the Council, conduct all the correspondence and keep copies of same. He shall be ex-officio member of all the committees and commissions the Council may think fit to appoint. He shall, subject to the approval of the National Commission, maintain an office and appoint his subordinates for the performance of the clerical duties in connection with the office, and the necessary expenses shall be paid from the sums appropriated for the purpose under authority of the National Commission."

A petition was heard from the Bricklayers S.F.C. of Chicago for the return of $35, protest fee ordered forfeited by the Western Cup Committee. On motion of Mr. Patterson, seconded by Mr. Johnson, the petition was accepted and the money ordered returned.

On motion of Mr. Fernley, seconded by Mr. Riley, it was ordered, in accordance with the request from the Southern New England Football Association, that the Committee on Codification of Rules change Rule LV to accord with the motion made by Delegate Keane and adopted at the Council meeting in Philadelphia, 1921.

On motion of Mr. Murray, seconded by Mr. McKinlay, Jr., it was resolved that there be adopted a system of distribution of official information through the National Secretary's office.

The motion submitted by Ex-President Fernley that the formation of eastern and western public school soccer associations be authorized was withdrawn by him, as this matter is covered in the report of the Special Committee appointed to investigate and amend the report of the Committee for the Promotion of School and Junior Soccer.

The request from the Wisconsin State F.A. that the Council establish what constitutes an amateur team, that National Amateur Cup Rules be adopted and that

the Secretary be instructed to seek entries for such a competition, is covered in the report of the Special Committee.

The request from the Wisconsin State F.A. that an Advisory Board be created, to be composed of Ex-Presidents, and Life Members, would necessitate a change in the rules and was submitted to the new committee on Rules and Revision.

The request from the Wisconsin State F.A. that a method be decided upon for the selection of a representative amateur team and to secure a fund to finance it, to represent the United States in France in 1924, is covered in another resolution of these minutes.

On motion of Mr. Cahill, seconded by Mr. Johnson, it was ordered that within the next 60 days a map showing the territory and jurisdiction covered by each State Association, Cup Competition, or League be forwarded to the office of the National Secretary and that a committee be appointed by the President to look over these maps to see if the boundaries overlap and report to the National Commission.

On motion of Mr. Fernley, seconded by Mr. Johnson, it was resolved that a committee of three be appointed by the President to draw up a budget system and devise ways and means for handling the finances of the Council, for the ensuing year. This committee to report to the National Commission, who shall act upon same immediately.

A communication was received from the Football Association of Ireland and on motion of Lieut.-Col. Manning, seconded by Mr. Hopkins, the letter was received and ordered filed.

The meeting was adjourned until 1:45 P. M.

FIFTH SESSION.

The meeting reconvened at 1:45 P. M.

Mr. Charles S. Burnett, President of the North Massachusetts and New Hampshire State F.A. was granted the courtesy of the meeting.

On motion of Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. Murray, Rule VI, on page 12, was changed as follows:

> On line 2, of Section 3, strike out the word "may" and insert the word "shall." After "headquarters" on line 4, of Section 3, add comma and insert "'except where permission of their state associations has first been obtained for their clubs under their jurisdiction to so enter the competitions."

After much debate the motion of Mr. Hopkins, seconded by Mr. McKinlay, Jr., for the embodiment of the definition of enclosed ground in the rules, was lost, by a vote of 22 against it, to 4 for it.

The North Massachusetts and New Hampshire State F.A., on behalf of the General Electric United F.C. appealed from the decision of the Eastern Cup Committee and on motion of Mr. Haddock, seconded by Mr. Riley, the fine of the General Electric Company United F.C. was remitted, and the club restored to good standing.

The North Massachusetts and New Hampshire State F.A., on behalf of the Chicopee Rovers F.C. appealed from the decision of the Eastern Cup Committee and on motion of Mr. Hopkins, seconded by Mr. Riley, the fine was remitted.

The motion submitted by Ex-President Fernley, that the National Challenge Cup Competition Committee be instructed to enforce Cup Rule XV, relative to overtime periods, was declared out of order.

It was brought to the attention of the Chair by Mr. Patrick that a matter which he had requested the Secretary to place upon the agenda was not considered, and the Chair ruled that the Secretary shall not use his discretion as to what shall or shall not be placed upon the agenda.

The Keystone Soccer Club of the Pittsburgh Press Westmoreland League requested a revision of the action of the Appeals Committee and on motion of Mr. Hopkins, seconded by Mr. Patterson, the decision of the Appeals Committee was reversed.

A recess was declared for 5 minutes.

A communication was received from the Federation Internationale de Football Association and on motion of Lieut.-Col. Manning, seconded by Mr. Patterson, it was resolved that the suggestions of the Secretary pro tem. be submitted to the National Commission for their action.

On motion of Mr. Haddock, seconded by Mr. Collins, it was resolved that the United States Football Association make it a duty to have an Olympic Team in the next Olympic Games to be held in 1924.

REPORT OF APPEALS COMMITTEE.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins, seconded by Mr. Patrick, the following report of the Appeals Committee was accepted and ordered filed:

APPEALS COMMITTEE—ANNUAL REPORT.

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 23, 1922.

To the Council of the United States Football Association, Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen:

In submitting this Annual Report, the Appeals Committee have to say that two Appeals have been put before the Committee.

The first Appeal was one in which the Keystone F. C. of Penna. appealed the decision of the Press League in the matter of Keystone F. C. vs. Madison, a League game played under Press League auspices. Keystone claimed that the Madison club should forfeit the points by reason of having played several ineligible men in games played on prior dates. This Committee ruled that the Madison club could not be properly denied their share of the points in the game in question, as in that particular game they had not played any of the ineligible men.

The second Appeal put before this Committee was received from Roses F. C. of Detroit, and was lodged against a decision which ordered Roses to divide with Walkerville and Detroit F. C.'s the proceeds of the final Clan Campbell Cup tie game. This Committee held that such a tri-partite split of the gate receipts was proper in view of the fact (demonstrated to the Committee) that an agreement looking to such a split of receipts had been consummated by Roses F. C. with the two other clubs concerned—Detroit and Walkerville F. C.'s.

This Committee submits this report with great respect to the Honorable Council of the United States Football Association.

For the Appeals Committee,

Wm. J. Kerr,
Chairman.

The reinstatement of Player Graves was referred to the new Reinstatement Committee.

On motion of Mr. Fernley, seconded by Mr. Patrick, the Entry Fee of the General Electric Co. United F.C. in the National Challenge Cup Competition was ordered returned.

On motion of Lieut.-Col. Manning, seconded by Mr. Patrick, it was resolved that the matter of adjustment of gate receipts in the game between the General Electric Co. and the Third Lanark F.C. be referred to a committee to be appointed by the President with power to investigate the case. This committee shall report to the National Commission, who shall have full power to settle the matter.

A letter was received from Referee A. C. Patterson requesting the payment of his expense account in the game Kenmore F.C. vs. White Motors F.C. played on October 23d, 1921, and on motion of Mr. Haddock, seconded by Mr. Addison, it was ordered that his expense account be paid.

On motion of Mr. Addison, seconded by Mr. Riley, it was resolved that the President appoint a committee of three to meet the officials of the United States Referees' Union to devise ways and means of assisting, financially or otherwise, the work of the Referees' Unions, as suggested in the report of the National Challenge Cup Committee, Western Division.

Mr. Addison, representing the United States Referees' Union, presented an appeal from Referee R. Rae and on motion of Mr. Haddock, seconded by Mr. Hopkins, it was resolved that the fine of $5.00 be remitted owing to extenuating circumstances.

On motion of Mr. Bagnall, seconded by Mr. Cahill, it was resolved, following the recommendation by the Rules and Revision Committee, that Form E be adopted under Rule XXXVI.

On motion of Mr. Haddock, seconded by Mr. Cummings, it was resolved that the matter of the Paton Cup Competition be left entirely to the State Association.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins, seconded by Mr. Patterson, it was resolved that the following recommendations of the Special Committee appointed to investigate the report of the National Commission, be adopted:

Boston, Mass., May 22, 1922.

The Committee appointed to consider the original report of the National Commission find as follows:

That in the action taken in cases numbered 1—2—3—4—6—7—8 and 9 of their report, they had jurisdiction under the rules, the matters being purely administrative, and not therefore within the scope of the committee.

In case number 5, the committee also concurs with the National Commission, but wish to point out that this matter calls for further action by the council.

In case number 10, the committee finds that the National Commission erred in reinstating the three players involved, but in as much as the reinstatement has been promulgated, this committee recommends that the council endorse the action.

In the supplementary report, cases 1 to 7 inclusive, and numbers 10—11—12, also being questions of administration, the action of the National Commission is again not within the scope of the Committee.

In cases number 8 and number 9, the National Commission erred in rendering decisions, instead of referring the matters to the Council with recommendations. This Committee consequently favors endorsement of the action of the Reinstatement Committee, which, in one instance denies reinstatement, and in the other grants it.

IVOR. A. HOPKINS, *Chairman.*
JAMES MCKINLAY, JR.
THOMAS BAGNALL.

A cordial invitation was received from the Ohio State F. A. to hold the next annual meeting of the United States Football Association in Cleveland, and on motion of Mr. Cahill, seconded by Mr. Hopkins, it was ordered that the Tenth Annual Meeting of the Association be held in Cleveland.

On motion of Mr. Booth, seconded by Mr. Patterson, it was resolved in view of the valuable services of Mr. Thomas W. Cahill, Secretary pro tem., in assuming the duties of that office after the disappearance of the late Secretary James E. Scholefield, and in consideration of his untiring efforts to restore order in the affairs of the office which were in chaos at the time, which necessitated practically all of his time, to the detriment of his personal interests, which was voluntarily borne that the National Body should not suffer, that an Honorarium of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) be given to Mr. Cahill with the thanks of the Council. This motion was carried with no dissenting vote.

On motion of Mr. Booth, seconded by Mr. Patterson, it was resolved that a vote of thanks be given to Mr. Thomas Bagnall for the valuable services which he rendered in auditing the books of our late secretary.

The election of officers for the season 1922-23 follows:

President Healey yielded the Chair to Ex-President Manning during the election of officers. The Chairman appointed Mr. Walsh and Mr. Collins as tellers and Mr. Thomas Bagnall as judge.

On motion of the Reverend Father Thompson, Mr. George F. Healey was nominated for the Presidency. Mr. Collins nominated Mr. Douglas Stewart, but he gracefully declined the nomination. It was then moved and seconded that the nominations be closed.

On motion of Mr. Haddock, seconded by Mr. Ross, the Secretary was instructed to cast a vote unanimously re-electing Mr. George Healey President.

On motion of Mr. Patterson, Mr. Morris Johnson was nominated for the First Vice-Presidency. No further nominations being made, it was moved and seconded that they be closed. On motion of Mr. Haddock seconded by Mr. Riley, the secretary was instructed to cast a vote unanimously electing Mr. Morris Johnson First Vice-President.

Mr. James W. Riley nominated Mr. Winton E. Barker to succeed himself as Second Vice-President, Mr. Collins then nominated Mr. Patrick for Second Vice-President, but Mr. Patrick declined the nomination. It was then moved and seconded that the nominations be closed. On motion of Mr. Haddock, seconded by Mr. Hopkins, the secretary was instructed to cast a vote unanimously re-electing Mr. Winton E. Barker as Second Vice President.

Mr. Ross nominated Mr. Joe Booth as Third Vice-President. Mr. Collins then nominated Mr. James W. Riley but he declined the nomination. Mr. Patrick then nominated Mr. Andrew M. Brown but Mr. Brown refused the nomination. Mr. Brown then placed before the Council the name of Mr. Herbert Murray. It was regularly moved and seconded that the nominations be closed.

Mr. Booth was elected on the first ballot, the vote being Mr. Booth 27, Mr. Murray 15.

Mr. Cummings nominated Mr. Wm. S. Haddock as Treasurer. As no further nominations were advanced it was regularly moved and seconded that nominations be closed. On motion of Mr. Hopkins, seconded by Mr. Patterson, the Secretary was instructed to cast a vote unanimously electing as Treasurer, Mr. Wm. S. Haddock.

A rising vote of thanks was then given to the North Massachusetts and New Hampshire State Football Association for their cordial hospitality and the splendid entertainment which they arranged for the benefit of the visiting officers and delegates.

A rising vote of thanks was accorded the City of Boston for the signal honor conferred upon the Association by the sumptuous banquet and entertainment given in their honor by the City of Boston, which sent four representatives to welcome the visitors.

All business concluded, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES F. SULLIVAN,
Recording Stenographer.

Approved,

THOMAS W. CAHILL,
Secretary Pro Tem.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT.

Detroit, Mich., May 15, 1922.

TO THE OFFICERS OF THE U. S. F. A. AND DELEGATES TO THE COUNCIL.

GENTLEMEN:

In presenting this report to the Ninth Annual meeting of our association, I am glad to be able to note that some progress has been made, and to thank and compliment those whose steadfast service has rendered this progress possible. It has not been as great as I could wish, but then conditions in this past year have not been as

favorable as anyone could wish. General industrial depression caused either loss or checked development in every enterprise, and especially in enterprises of a sporting or amusement nature. I think I can fairly say that our loss in this respect has been less than that of any other organization in the country. In fact, our revenue from the cup competition, while showing a loss in gross receipts, shows an increase in the percentage accruing to the association, due to careful and economic management of the contest, and also due to the splendid returns received from the critical contests held in St. Louis.

But we still have many things to accomplish, and I sincerely trust this meeting will be of a progressive character. In playing skill, there is no one who can gainsay that our clubs have shown improvement. It is getting harder and harder every year to win a cup contest, speed and stamina being as great requisites as playing skill.

This improvement in play, and especially in the latter two qualities, is undoubtedly due to the fact that our leagues are now beginning to absorb the boys who learned the game in school, and who, held to it by an enthusiastic appreciation of its merits, are clinging to it. Every day, too, sees other boys taking up the game on the playgrounds and in the school yards, or athletic fields, and it is now a common sight to see groups of boys playing the game on vacant lots after school hours. Even the newest recruits to the game who will read this message can remember how rare such a sight was as recently as five years ago.

This state of affairs leads naturally to a consideration of a means of coalescing and mobilizing this youthful element so that it can be held to the game for the recruiting of the teams of five and six years hence. What has been accomplished thus far has been through the work of state associations, and it is a matter of regret to me that our national association has not found a means to materially help in this development. We have talked about it a great deal, and we have had committees to think and talk it over, but no practical plan has yet been evolved. I am hopeful that the committee I appointed last year for this purpose will, in its report, which has not yet been submitted to me, have some concrete plan to propose.

The most regrettable incident of my present term of office was the necessity of removing from the secretaryship Mr. James E. Scholefield, chosen for that office at the last annual meeting. He absconded with about $1,200. Fortunately, he was sufficiently bonded, and the bonding company made good his defalcation, so our money loss was neglible. His act, however, caused a vast amount of trouble and labor, and if I had not been fortunate enough to induce Mr. Cahill to emerge from the retirement he sought last year, and take over the duties of the office, we would have been seriously embarrassed, as Mr. Scholefield's flight came just as our cup competition was well under way. Mr. Cahill sought to be excused from again assuming the onerous duties he had laid down, but as every member of this Council knows, he was the only man in football who could meet the situation that developed so unexpectedly, and carry the competition through without missing a step. I feel that not only I, as president, but every member of our organization should be grateful to Mr. Cahill for the service rendered in this emergency, not only in assuming the secretaryship, but in serving with Mr. Thomas Bagnall as an auditing committee to go through the tedious and vexatious task of checking up Mr. Scholefield's accounts and correspondence, with the representative of the bonding company, that our claim might be properly proven. And not only do I wish to thank Mr. Cahill for this service, but Mr. Bagnall as well, and I urge the Council to make the thanks of the organization to these two gentlemen a matter of record.

Another bright spot that has illumined this last year has been the great increase in publicity given Soccer. This is a natural sequence of the growth of interest among the public, and both are of course equally logical sequences of the spirit of competition aroused by the fact that we have a national championship competition. But it is very gratifying to us who have been in the game for a score of years or more, who have known what it was to try to secure notices of our games from sporting news editors who seemed to think Soccer must be some kind of a parlor game. It is different now. They all know the game, and more and more they are beginning to understand its worthiness both as an athletic exercise, and as a spectacular contest.

But with the good publicity has also come bad, and I am sorry to say some of this bad publicity has come from those whose association with the game should have taught them better sportsmanship. I feel that those men who have been honored by the national association and by their state associations with office, and who have become regular contributors to newspapers should have a higher regard for the newspaper pro-

fession and for Soccer than to allow themselves to be guided by personal ill-will in writing articles for publication. The officers of the association expect criticism, and have no quarrel with it when it is honest, so long as the rules of fair play are observed. But to consider a failure to attain one office or another a sufficient reason for attacking the successful candidates and seeking to hold their acts up to public ridicule is not only unsportsmanlike, but vicious, and defiles both the newspaper which publishes it and the game which lies nearest to our hearts. I have not in mind any individual writer, or any special section of the country in making these remarks. I merely wish to urge upon our members the more ethical method of airing our grievances in our Council meetings, submitting them to the arbitrament of the majority of us, and accepting the verdict in good part, resolved to prove our worth in event we are chosen, or to seek success at another time in event we lose. After we have chosen our officers it is obviously the duty of all of us to accept the result and work together, shoulder to shoulder, for the game itself. For after all, the sport is the thing.

During the year we had our first visitors from overseas in more than a decade. I believe it was in 1911 we had the Corinthians, the last foreign team we entertained. In the past season we had a team of visiting Scottish players, known variously as the "All Scots," and the "Third Lanarks." When it is considered that this team was about the strongest that could be put together in Scotland, that they came to us keyed up by constant play in a tour of Canada, and that they met our teams in the off-season, after our boys had disbanded and begun to interest themselves in summer sports, it must be a matter of keen gratification to all of us that we were able to make such a splendid showing against them.

In spite of the general business depression, our organization is growing, and our groundwork is laid now for two or three new associations that will soon be ready for full affiliation. With a revival of industry, I expect to see a lot of new territory brought into the jurisdiction of our organization, and the game placed on the road to that success which can only be attained by organization and co-operation.

I wish to offer my congratulation to the Scullin Steel F.C., winer of the championship of the United States, and to the Todd Shipyards F.C., winner of the Eastern championship for the splendid efforts which carried them to their triumphs.

Again I wish to thank those whose co-operation with me during the year has done so much to aid me in fulfilling the obligations of my office, and more especially to the members of the cup committees, whose duties were the most arduous of all and who have done well with the complicated and frequent problems they were called upon to solve.

GEORGE HEALEY,
President, United States Football Association.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE HONORARY SECRETARY.

New York, N. Y., May 15th, 1922.

TO THE PRESIDENT, THE COUNCIL AND AFFILIATED MEMBERS OF THE UNITED STATES FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION:

GENTLEMEN: In presenting the report of the Secretary's office for the term ending today, it becomes my first duty to refer to the defalcation and disappearance of James E. Scholefield, the secretary you chose last year on my retirement from the Honorary Secretaryship which I had held since the formation of the United States Football Association.

Fortunately for us, his bond covered almost the total amount of his embezzlement of our funds, which has been paid over to our treasury by the bonding company, so our financial loss was very small. But the blow to our prestige was a heavy one, and his sudden disappearance threw the affairs of the organization into such confusion that a tremendous amount of work was involved in bringing the office back to a normal course. It was because I was the only person in a position to do this work that I was drafted by the President to again assume the duties I thought I had laid down permanently at the last annual meeting. It was with reluctance and at considerable sacrifice that I did this, as I was just beginning to get my own affairs in the shape I have been aiming for, for years.

In touching upon this matter I must take occasion to cite the magnificent service rendered by Mr. Thomas Bagnall, who gave of his time and ability without stint, and without whose help, I am afraid we would have met with dire disaster. His aid was invaluable, not only in getting the cup competition in shape. but in checking over the accounts of Mr. Scholefield with the agent of the bonding company, so that we were able to recover practically every cent that we had lost.

While heartily indorsing the views of the President as expressed in his annual report regarding the vicious nature of some of the matter published regarding the United States Football Association by men the organization has honored, I cannot refrain from adding my impressions. I have no quarrel with honest criticism, and I think it is good for Soccer to have men connected with the game write articles about it under their official titles, so long as they remain within the bounds of decency. But when they take advantage of their positions to vent their spleen because they are not allowed to run the organization as they please, and to their own advantage, when they become nothing but mendacious creators of scandal and misrepresentation, then their conduct becomes a detriment and a menace, and the men who are guilty of it are actual foes instead of friends of the game to which they profess allegiance. I am glad to be able to say that there are few offenders of this class who have the opportunity to "dish dirt" in this manner, for the simple reason, perhaps, that there are few men born with such perverted minds. They never gain the ends for which they strive, for the ends which seem desirable to them must inevitably appeal to men of decent minds as undesirable, and their proponents to be unworthy of trust or confidence.

I knew that in assuming the office after Mr. Scholefield's default, I was putting myself up as a target for these parasites who have served so much in retarding the development of Soccer in this country, but my love for the game, and my pride in the organization were motives which I could not deny.

In choosing a salaried official to take over the office from me, I want to impress upon you the necessity of picking out a man who is familiar with the history of our organization, its ideals and aims, and its method of operation. He should also have the close association of an executive officer with the authority which you would not care to give to a salaried employe, for at least the first year of his service.

A vital thing I have to call to the attention of the Council is the present manner of conducting the national challenge cup competition. The system of dividing it into an Eastern and a Western Division has now had a year's trial, and to my mind is a complete failure. There is constant confusion in the matter of rulings, different views being taken of similar offenses, and confusion as to registrations. I am convinced that the system of having the entire competition under the control of one central committee is the only one which can be effectively and economically employed, and I strongly urge the Association to return to it. If this Council agrees with me, the simplest manner of bringing about the change would be to authorize the appointment of a single cup committee, and authorize it to eliminate the rules that constituted the bifurcated control, and to re-establish the old rules which were wiped out or amended in bringing about the change.

A cause for congratulation is the smoothness and promptness with which we completed the cup competition this past season. The principal reason for this was that we were not hampered in the Eastern Section by conflict with an independent cup competition, which did not operate at all during the season just closed. This condition enabled us to play our final March 19, a full month earlier than we had been accustomed to, thus giving us the opportunity to avoid conflicting with the base ball season.

I would commend the detailed financial statement of the National Challenge Cup Competition, appended hereto, to your thoughtful attention. The total gross receipts show a loss of $735.22, while the total attendance shows a decrease of 3,109. An analysis of the figures will show

that the greater portion of the loss was sustained in the East. Excluding the finals of both years, one having been played in the East and the other in the West, the East shows a loss in gross receipts of approximately $3,100, as against approximately $400 for the West. In attendance the Eastern loss is over 6,000, the West about an even thousand less. Including the two finals, the discrepancy between the two districts is more marked, as in the final of the 1921-22 season, despite a rain that fell all night and all day and until the game had been begun, the gross gate reached $8,399.50, a new record for the competition, as against a gross gate of $5,584.45 for the final of the 1920-21 season.

These figures do not indicate the healthy state of affairs that I would like to see and I cannot help but feel that the loss is due somewhat to a campaign of hate which has been waged persistently, if under cover, against the administration by a little clique who seem actuated by the idea that if they cannot rule, it is their special province to ruin.

It has been a matter of mention in every report I have ever made of the secretaryship that officers of state associations do not fully meet their obligations to co-operate with the national officers. And again I wish to impress upon them that it is vital to good government that they look upon happenings in their various jurisdictions from the national as well as from the local viewpoint. They should keenly watch for violations of the rules by players and should report them without loss of time The secretary's office is burdened with a tremendous volume of routine duty, and cannot be expected to detect of its own efforts every violation or every use of ineligible players.

We have been milling around for a great many years over the question of school and junior soccer. We are all agreed that the game should be encouraged to the limit amongst the junior players, and that some provision should be made to keep the schoolboys in the game after they leave school. We have a committee now which has come in with some recommendations and which will come before this meeting with a request for an appropriation to further their plans. But I have neither seen nor heard anything from the committee which gives even the shadow of a practical idea as to how to accomplish the end we are seeking. The more I see and think of the matter, the more thoroughly am I convinced that this is a matter which should be handled by the state associations alone. Each state knows its own problems and can measure up its own opportunities. The state associations, too, owe it to themselves to take up this duty. It is to their immediate interest to develop this phase, for it will enable them to recruit their leagues, to develop the amateur side of the game, and to increase tremendously the general interest in the contests, with a resulting increase in their gate receipts.

I cannot conceive how the national body can create any machinery for the handling of the school and junior soccer situation that would not be too slow and cumbersome. unless it went to an expense that is far beyond its means. In a previous report, in discussing this matter, I called attention to the wonderful results which had been achieved by the Michigan State Football Association along this line. Since then it has accomplished still more, and it proves what can be done by a state association which gives the matter serious attention and is willing to make the effort required to attain success.

Another proposition to be brought before you at this meeting, which is a corollary to this school and junior situation, is that the U. S. F. A. establish a national amateur cup competition. I know the suggestion sounds well, but again I fail to see any practical means of bringing it about. I have given it thought and have discussed it with many of the leading authorities in the country on amateur sports, and they all asked me the same question, "How do you expect to finance such a competition?" I never was able to answer that question. Perhaps the proponents of the idea now might have greater wisdom.

The only thing that I can see that we might be able to do is to let the state associations each develop a champion, and let these champion teams meet in a series of elimination contests until a national champion is established. We could give a final, and we might possibly assume responsibility for the final, but it would be a big contract to bring a company of sixteen men or so a matter of a thousand miles or over, which would be an obligation we would probably have to face.

I mention these things so in your consideration of these two propositions you do not altogether lose sight of the practical side of the questions and commit the organization to a position from which it would have to withdraw, which would be humiliating, or in the attempt of accomplishment, might fail, which would be worse.

I wish to renew attention to a matter I dwelt upon at some length in my last annual report, the scarcity of playing fields. The growth of the game has brought increased demands upon the spaces available for play, and this trouble is experienced in the West, as well as in the East, though in the latter section it is more serious. The U.S.F.A. should devote its surplus funds to an effort to secure permanent grounds, either by purchase or lease, so we would not be subject to the whims or needs of those from whom we are now compelled to rent for single contests. This is a problem that must be faced and the delegates should take it to heart and make a serious effort to find a solution.

A matter which I deem of vital importance is to reach a decision as to our participation in the Olympic Games of 1924. I most strongly urge upon the Council the necessity of taking up this matter now. It is going to be an expensive matter getting a proper team to France for those games, and steps must be initiated forthwith to devise a plan for raising these funds. There may be a lot of conflicting ideas as to how the team is to be selected and it would be well to come to a decision on that point, too. Two years may seem a long time, but we will need all of that time to get ourselves in shape to take part in these world championship games, and the decision should be reached now.

During the year I made several trips on propaganda and development work and am glad to be able to say that the outlook for the extension of our territory is splendid. I am expecting to see come in at this meeting an organization embracing clubs in Maryland, Virginia and the District of Columbia. On my return from St. Louis where I attended the final, I sowed the seed of a state organization in Indiana, with headquarters in Indianapolis, and anticipate its coming into full bloom in the fall. I have received communications from Tennessee, Georgia, Colorado, Utah, Iowa and Washington regarding projected organizations, and it is a question of but a few years when our organization will cover the entire country.

In closing I wish to congratulate the Scullin Steel Football Club on its triumph in the national championship, and also on its association with such a high class sportsman as Mr. Harry Scullin, president of the Scullin Steel Company. Mr. Scullin has spared neither effort nor expense in building up his team, and has as fine a collection of young athletes on his club as ever toed a football. The Todd Shipyard Football Club was likewise a splendid aggregation and played high class football throughout its season, and is to be congratulated on attaining the eastern championship.

I wish in conclusion to compliment Mr. Healey on his capable and just administration of the affairs of his office, and to thank the associates whose efforts have enabled me to meet the responsibilities of my office.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS W. CAHILL,
Secretary (pro tem).

NATIONAL CHALLLENGE CUP COMPETITION RESULTS.

SPRING, 1921-22.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Compiled by T. W. Cahill, Secretary pro tem.

PRELIMINARY ROUND.

District.	Total Receipts.	Gross 10 Per Cent.	Delegates' Fees.	Delegates' Expenses.	Net Gain. U.S.F.A.	Attend. Games.
†Connecticut	None (Explanation).					
New Jersey	$46.35	$4.63	$4.00	$0.51	$0.12	309
Southern New York	118.64	11.85	14.55	1.10	3.80*	421
Northwestern N. Y.	32.50	3.25	2.00	....	1.25	130
Southern New England	141.50	14.12	9.96	....	4.16	596
Total	$338.99	$33.85	$30.51	$1.61	$1.73	1,456

FIRST ROUND.

District.	Total Receipts.	Gross 10 Per Cent.	Delegates' Fees.	Delegates' Expenses.	Net Gain. U.S.F.A.	Attend. Games.
Connecticut	$174.35	$17.43	$8.00	....	$9.43	739
Western New England	251.75	25.15	12.00	3.94	9.21	891
Eastern Pennsylvania.	444.23	44.42	10.00	1.07	33.35	1,474
Northwestern N. Y.	125.75	12.56	4.00	2.99	5.57	502
New Jersey	863.19	86.32	8.00	2.60	75.72	1,948
Northern Mass.	394.51	39.45	16.00	.30	23.15	1,334
Southern New England	1,258.79	125.87	18.00	2.40	105.47	3,020
Southern New York	958.25	96.04	16.00	.90	79.14	2,288
Illinois and Wisconsin	233.19	27.91	8.00	4.45	15.46	491
Michigan	619.70	61.90	8.00	....	53.90	647
Missouri	385.07	38.50	8.00	1.00	29.50	1,121
Ohio	309.30	30.93	12 00	5.40	13.53	963
Western Pennsylvania.	317.88	31.75	8.00	1.40	22.35	507
Total	$6,335.96	$638.23	$136.00	$26.45	$475.78	15.925

SECOND ROUND.

District.	Total Receipts.	Gross 10 Per Cent.	Delegates' Fees.	Delegates' Expenses.	Net Gain. U.S.F.A.	Attend. Games.
Connecticut	$92.65	$9.26	$4.00	....	$5.26	377
Western New England.	157.00	15.70	....	....	15.70	397
Eastern Pennsylvania.	164.39	16.47	8.00	.25	8.22	465
Northwestern N. Y.	87.00	8.70	4.00	.14	4.56	290
New Jersey	304.54	30.45	5.31	1.70	23.44	670
Northern Mass.	141.20	14.18	8.00	2.60	3.58	474
Southern New England	802.23	80.20	12.00	1.00	67.20	1,910
Southern New York	916.46	91.24	8.00	.60	82.64	1,909
Illinois and Wisconsin	872.25	87.28	16.00	.60	70.68	1,714
Michigan	287.70	28.75	12.00	2.18	14.57	577
Missouri	2,917.82	291.77	12.00	3.00	276.77	5,901
Ohio	537.55	53.74	16.00	5.40	32.34	1,184
Western Pennsylvania.	258.50	25.87	12.00	6.05	7.82	470
Total	$7,535.29	$753.61	$117.31	$23.52	$612.78	16,338

*Deficit. †No tickets sold. Proceeds obtained by collections.

THIRD ROUND.

District.	Total Receipts.	Gross 10 Per Cent.	Delegates' Fees.	Delegates' Expenses.	Net Gain. U.S.F.A.	Attend. Games.
Connecticut and Western New England....	$61.30	$6.13	....	....	$6.13	154
Eastern Pennsylvania.	230.18	23.01	4.00	.15	18.86	523
Northern and Southern New York.....	1,387.96	138.79	8.00	1.60	129.19	2,824
New Jersey.....	652.74	65.27	4.00	....	61.27	1,334
Northern Mass.....	168.35	16.84	4.00	8.50	4.34	481
Southern New England	1,318.21	131.82	4.00	6.25	121.57	2,938
Illinois and Wisconsin	200.61	20.06	8.00	2.62	9.44	496
Michigan	1,014.79	101.47	8.00	6.48	86.99	2,020
Missouri	3,205.75	320.60	....	....	320.60	6,523
Ohio	724.50	72.44	8.00	1.75	62.69	1,610
†Western Pennsylvania	43.20	4.32	4.00	2.52	2.20*	
Total	$9,007.59	$900.75	$52.00	$29.87	$818.88	18,903

FOURTH ROUND.

District.	Total Receipts.	Gross 15 Per Cent.	Delegates' Fees.	Delegates' Expenses.	Net Gain. U.S.F.A.	Attend. Games.
New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania...	$2,360.54	$354.09	$8.00	$13.25	$332.84	4,888
New England.....	1,312.05	196.79	16.00	8.25	172.54	2,949
Illinois and Wisconsin	191.70	28.75	14.00	....	14.75	426
Michigan	98.40	14.76	4.00	2.00	8.76	198
Missouri	1,678.25	251.75	20.00	....	231.75	3,413
Western Pennsylvania	582.00	87.30	4.00	3.90	79.40	1,164
Total.....	$6,222.94	$933.44	$66.00	$27.40	$840.04	13,038

SEMI-FINALS.

District.	Total Receipts.	Expenses, Includ. War Tax.	Net Receipts.	2/3 Net Receipts to Partic. Clubs.	1/3 Net Receipts. U.S.F.A.	Attend. ance.
Eastern Division.....	$2,521.05	$1,255.28	$1,265.77	$843.84	$421.93	4,910
Western Division.....	3,149.15	1,685.50	1,463.65	975.87	487.78	5,916
Total	$5,670.20	$2,940.78	$2,729.42	$1,819.71	$909.71	10,826

DIVISIONAL FINALS.

District.	Total Receipts.	Expenses, Includ. War Tax.	Net Receipts.	2/3 Net Receipts to Partic. Clubs.	1/3 Net Receipts. U.S.F.A.	Attend. ance.
Eastern District.....	$2,978.50	$1,504.75	$1,473.75	$982.50	$491.25	4,585
Western Division.....	3,948.50	2,200.70	1,747.80	1,165.20	582.60	5,380
Total	$6,927.00	$3,705.45	$3,221.55	$2,147.70	$1,073.85	9,965

FINAL.

At St. Louis, Missouri..	$8,399.50	$4,465.75	$3,933.75	$2,622.50	$1,311.25	8,568

SUMMARY.

Round.	Total Receipts.	U.S.F.A. Share Gross.	Delegates' Fees.	Delegates' Expenses.	Net Gain U.S.F.A.	Attendance.
Preliminary	$338.99	$33.85	$30.51	$1.61	$1.73	1,456
First	6,335.96	638.23	136.00	26.45	475.78	15,925
Second	7,535.29	753.61	117.31	23.52	612.78	16,338
Third	9,007.59	900.75	52.00	29.87	818.88	18,903
Fourth	6,222.94	933.44	66.00	27.40	840.04	13,038
Semi-Finals	5,670.20	909.71	....	....	909.71	10,826
Divisional Finals.....	6,927.00	1,073.85	....	....	1,073.85	9,965
Final	8,399.50	1,311.25	....	....	1,311.25	8,568
Total	$50,437.47	$6,554.69	$401.82	$108.85	$6,044.02	95,019

*Deficit. †No tickets sold. Proceeds obtained by collections.

NATIONAL CHALLENGE CUP COMPETITION, U.S.F.A.

PRELIMINARY ROUND.

EASTERN DIVISION.

Date.	Home Club.	Visiting Club.	Referee.
Oct. 9.	Danersk F.C. 2	Stamford FC. 2	R. Rae
Oct. 9.	Carlton Hill F.C. 5	Palisade Park F.C. 1	R. McMahon
Oct. 9.	Franco Swiss F.C. 4	Spanish Americans F.C. 1	C. Stott
Oct. 9.	Glen Cove F.C. 5	Hempstead House F.C. 0	J. Masterton
Oct. 9.	West End Polish F.C. 2	Esmond Cortex F.C. 2	E. Pemberton
Oct. 9.	Camera Works F.C. 2	Kodak Park F.C. 1	J. Lythgoe
Oct. 15.	*Esmond Cortex F.C. 2	West End Polish F.C. 1	J. Carlin
Oct. 16.	*Danersk F.C. 5	Stamford F.C. 0	R. Rae

FIRST ROUND.

EASTERN DIVISION.

Connecticut District.

Oct. 16.	Bridgeport City F.C. 3	Ansonia F.C. 1	A. York
Oct. 23.	Danersk F.C. 2	St. George's F.C. 3	R. Rae

Western New England District.

Oct. 15.	†Chicopee Rovers F.C. 1	Hartford F.C. 1	D. Cruickshanks
Oct. 16.	Manchester F.C. 0	Falco A.A.F.C. 2	S. Irvine

Eastern Pennsylvania District.

Oct. 15.	M. E. Smith F.C. 3	Canadian War Vets. F.C. 0	W. Hinds
Oct. 15.	Hibernians F.C. 0	Fleischer Yarn F.C. 1	G. Young
Oct. 15.	Philadelphia F.C. 8	Kingessing F.C. 2	J. Kerr
Oct. 15.	Bethlehem Steel F.C. 4	Ascension F.C. 0	J. H. Carpenter
Oct. 22.	Fairhill F.C. 3	Disston Saw F.C. 0	J. Walders

Northwestern New York District.

Oct. 16.	Moose F.C. 3	Camera Works F.C. 1	J. Ackroyd
Oct. 16.	Celtic F.C. 2	General Electric F.C. 1	J. Lythgoe

New Jersey District.

Oct. 16.	Babcock & Wilcox F.C. 4	Sprague F.C. 3	G. Parker
Oct. 16.	Carlton Hill F.C. 2	Antler F.C. 3	R. McMahon
Oct. 23.	Harrison F.C. 4	Napier F.C. 0	F. Smith
Oct. 23.	Celtics F.C. 5	Federal F.C. 0	R. McMahon

Northern Massachusetts District.

Oct. 15.	Arlington Mills F.C. 0	American Woolen Co. F.C. 3	J. W. Woodcock
Oct. 15.	Mass. Cotton Mills F.C. 0	Abbott Worsted F.C. 1	T. Littleson
Oct. 15.	†General Electric F.C.	Charlestown F.C.	T. Ritchie
Oct. 15.	Gray & Davis F.C 2	Fore River F.C. 0	P. Garrigan
Oct. 22.	Roxbury F.C. 1	Smith & Dove F.C. 6	T. Ritchie

*Replays.

†Replayed at Hartford, Oct. 23—Hartford F.C. 1, Chicopee Rovers 0. Referee, D. Cruickshanks.

Southern New England District.

Date.	Home Club.	Visiting Club.	Referee.
Oct. 12.	Prospect Hill F.C. 0	Fall River F.C. 5	F. Booth
Oct. 15.	J. & P. Coats F.C. 3	Fall River Rovers F.C. 0	R. Carroll
Oct. 15.	Ashton & Berkley F.C. 3	Clan Cameron F.C. 1	E. Pemberton
Oct. 15.	Saylesville F.C. 2	British Canadians F.C. 0	J. W. Smith
Oct. 15.	St. Michaels F.C. 5	Crompton F.C. 1	R. Wood
Oct. 22.	Fairlawn Rovers F.C. 3	Westerly United F.C. 0	A. White
Oct. 22.	Lonsdale Mills F.C. 4	Esmond Cortex F.C. 0	J. Carlin

Southern New York District.

Oct. 16.	Glen Cove F.C. 1	Yonkers Thistle F.C. 1	C. Stott
Oct. 16.	Greenpoint F.C. 1	Franco Swiss F.C. 1	J. Masterton
Oct. 16.	Todd Shipyards F.C. 8	Brooklyn F.C. 2	V. Williams
Oct. 16.	Viking A.C. 8	Brooklyn Hib. F.C. 2	W. Williams
Oct. 16.	New York F.C. 7	West Harlem Catholic F.C. 0	T. Cunningham
Oct. 23.	*Greenpoint F.C. 1	Franco Swiss F.C. 0	J. Masterton
Oct. 23.	*Glen Cove F.C. 0	Yonkers Thistles F.C. 3	C. Stott

SECOND ROUND.

EASTERN DIVISION.

Connecticut District.

Nov. 6.	Bridgeport City F.C. 1	Bridgeport St. George's F.C. 3.	A. York

Western New England District.

Nov. 5.	Hartford F.C. 2	Falco A.A.F.C. 8	G. Lambie

Eastern Pennsylvania District.

Nov. 5.	Philadelphia F.C. 5	M. E. Smith F.C. 1	G. Young
Nov. 5.	Fleischer Yarn F.C. 4	Bethlehem Steel F.C. 1	W. E. Hinds

Northwestern New York District.

Nov. 6.	Rochester Celtic F.C. 1	Rochester City Moose 2	J. Lythgoe

Southern New York District.

Nov. 6.	New York F.C. 5	Fairhill F.C. 1	T. Cunningham
Nov. 6.	Yonkers Thistles F.C. 1	Todd Shipyards F.C. 6	J. Masterton
Nov. 6.	**Viking A.C. 2**	Greenpoint F.C. 1	C. Stott

New Jersey District.

Nov. 6.	Antler F.C. 2	Babcock & Wilcox F.C. 0	F. Smith
Nov. 6.	Celtic F.C. 1	Harrison F.C. 3	R. McMahon

Northern Massachusetts District.

Nov. 5.	Abbot Worsted F.C. 2	American Woolen F.C. 0	T. Ritchie
Nov. 5.	Gray & Davis F.C. 4	Smith & Dove F.C. 2	V. Dobson

*Replays.

†Game was not played and was ordered forfeited to the Charlestown F.C. by the N.C.C.C. Committee, owing to violation of rules by G.E.Co. F.C.

Southern New England District.

Date.	Home Club.	Visiting Club.	Referee.
Nov. 5.	Saylesville F.C. 9	Ashton & Berkeley F.C. 0	J. Carlin
Nov. 5.	Fall River F.C. 6	Lonsdale Mills F.C. 0	R. Carroll
Nov. 5.	Fairlawn Rovers F.C. 2	Charlestown F.C. 0	A. White
Nov. 5.	St. Michaels F.C. 0	J. & P. Coats F.C. 2	E. Pemberton

THIRD ROUND.

EASTERN DIVISION.

Connecticut and Western New England District.

Nov. 26.	Falco A.A.F.C. 5	Bridgeport St. George 2	R. Murphy

Eastern Pennsylvania District.

Nov. 26.	Fleischer Yarn F.C. 0	Philadelphia F.C. 5	J. Kerr

Northern and Southern New York District.

Dec. 11.	Todd Shipyards F.C. 5	New York F.C. 3	T. Cunningham
Dec. 18.	Viking A.C. 4	Rochester City Moose 3	W. Williams

New Jersey District.

Dec. 11.	Harrison F.C. 5	Antler F.C. 0	R. McMahon

Northern Massachusetts District.

Nov. 26.	Gray & Davis F.C. 0	Abbot Worsted F.C. 1	V. Dobson

Southern New England District.

Nov. 24.	Saylesville F.C. 0	Fairlawn Rovers F.C. 1	E. Pemberton
Nov. 26.	Fall River F.C. 1	J. & P. Coats F.C. 2	G. Lambie

FOURTH ROUND.

EASTERN DIVISION.

New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania District.

Dec. 25.	Harrison F.C. 6	Viking F.C. 2	A. Esplin
Dec. 26.	Philadelphia F.C. 1	Todd Shipyards F.C. 4	R. Carroll

New England District.

Dec. 24.	Abbot Worsted F.C. 1	Fairlawn Rovers F.C. 1	G. Lambie
Dec. 24.	J. & P. Coats F.C. 3	Falco A.A.F.C. 4	W. Norse
Jan. 7.	*Fairlawn Rovers F.C. 0	Abbot Worsted F.C. 2	G. Lambie

*Replay.

SEMI-FINALS.

EASTERN DIVISION.

Played at Pawtucket, R. I.

New England District.

Date.	Home Club.	Visiting Club.	Referee.
Feb. 4.	Abbot Worsted F.C. 3	Falco A.A.F.C. 1	R. Carroll

New York-New Jersey District.

Played at Harrison, N. J.

Feb. 12.	Harrison F.C. 0	Todd Shipyards F.C. 1	W. Norse

FINAL.

EASTERN DIVISION.

Played at Fall River, Mass.

Feb. 25.	Abbot Worsted F.C. 1	Todd Shipyards F.C. 2	W. Norse

FIRST ROUND.

WESTERN DIVISION.

Illinois-Wisconsin District.

Date.	Home Club.	Visiting Club.	Referee.
Oct. 16.	Gary F.C. 2	Sparta Union F.C. 1	J. Johnstone
Oct. 16.	Thistles F.C. 4	Norwegian American F.C. 1	D. McKean
Oct. 30.	Harvey F.C. 0	Alverno A.A. 0	J. Leech
Nov. 6.	*Alverno A.A. 1	Harvey F.C. 3	J. Leech

Byes—Swedish-Amer. A.A.
Bricklayers S.F.C.
Olympia F.C
Rangers F.C.
Pullman F.C.
Simmons S.F.C.

Michigan District.

Oct. 16.	Caledonians F.C. 2	Walkerville F.C. 1	H. Bromfield
Oct. 16.	Ulster F.C. 4	Cornubians F.C. 2	R. Young
Oct. 23.	Roses F.C. 3	Magyar F.C. 0	G. C. Leach
Oct. 23.	Detroit F.C. 1	Scarlet Runners F.C. 2	J. B. Stark

Byes—Flint F.C.
Pontiac City F.C.

Missouri District.

Oct. 16.	Johnston City F.C. 1	West Frankfort F.C. 0	R. Gault
Oct. 16.	Prendergast F.C. 0	Paulian K. of C. 3	P. Murphy
Oct. 16.	Gillespie Moose F.C. 2	Wilsonville United F. C. 1	W. Bascom

Byes—Ben Miller's F.C.
De Andreis F.C.
Scullin Steel F.C.
St. Louis Screw F.C.
St. Leo's F.C.
Springfield F.C.

*Replay.

Ohio District.

Date.	Home Club.	Visiting Club.	Referee.
Oct. 16.	Goodyear F.C. 0	Firestone F.C. 4	J. B. Storrie
Oct. 16.	Lorain Eagles F.C. 0	Magyar Americans F.C. 1	G. Stokes
Oct. 23.	Kenmore F.C. 1	White Motors F.C. 3	J. B. Storrie

Western Pennsylvania District.

Oct. 16.	Cuddy A.C. 1	Carnegie F.C. 0	F. Walters
Oct. 16.	Madison F.C 0	Moon Run F.C. 3	J. Spence
Oct. 16.	Curry F.C. 1	Dunlevy F.C. 3	R. G. Coins

Byes—Arden F.C.
Castle Shannon F.C.

SECOND ROUND.

WESTERN DIVISION.

Illinois-Wisconsin District.

Nov. 6.	Swedish American F.C. 2	Johnston City F.C. 3	Jack Johnston
Nov. 6.	Thistle F.C. 0	Pullman F.C. 1	D. McKean
Nov. 6.	Simmons F.C. 3	Gary F.C. 1	P. Gemmill
Nov. 6.	Bricklayers F.C. 1	Olympic F.C. 0	J. W. Wood
Nov. 20.	Harvey F.C. 2	Rangers A.C. 4	P. Gemmill

Michigan District.

Nov. 6.	Industrial F.C. 1	Scarlet Runners F.C. 0	J. B. Stark
Nov. 6.	Pontiac City F.C. 3	Roses F.C. 3	R. Young
Nov. 6.	Caledonian F.C. 4	Ulster F.C. 1	F. Broomfield
Nov. 13.	*Roses F.C. 3	Pontiac City F.C. 2	R. Young

Missouri District.

Nov. 13.	Springfield F.C. 0	Paulian F.C. 1	W. Bascom
Nov. 13.	Gillespie F.C. 1	St. Leos F.C. 1	Paul Murphy
Nov. 20.	De Andreis F.C. 1	Ben Millers F.C. 2	P. McSweeney
Nov. 20.	St. Louis Screw Co. F.C. 1	Scullin Steel F.C. 2	P. Kavanaugh
Nov. 24.	*St. Leo's F.C. 3	Gillespie F.C. 4	Paul Murphy

Ohio District.

Nov. 13.	†Firestone F.C. 1	Magyar American F.C. 2	J. B. Storrie
Nov. 13.	†White Motors F.C. 4	Cuddy A.C. 2	A. C. Paterson
Nov. 27.	*Firestone F.C. 1	Magyar American F.C. 3	J. B. Storrie
Dec. 4.	‡White Motors F.C. 0	Cuddy A.C. 0	A. C. Paterson

Western Pennsylvania District.

Nov. 13.	Castle Shannon F.C. 3	Arden F.C. 6	J. Sherrard
Nov. 13.	†Dunlevy F.C. 3	Moon Run F.C. 2	G. M. Brannigan
Nov. 24.	*Dunlevy F.C. 3	Moon Run F.C. 1	G. M. Brannigan

THIRD ROUND.

WESTERN DIVISION.

Illinois-Wisconsin District.

Dec. 4.	Pullman F.C. 2	Rangers F.C. 0	A. McKenzie
Dec. 4.	Simmons F.C. 4	Bricklayers F.C. 2	D. McKean

*Replay.
†Protested and ordered replayed by the N.C.C.C.—Western Division.
‡Replay, awarded to White Motors by the N.C.C.C.—Western Division.

Michigan District.

Date.	Home Club.	Visiting Club.	Referee.
Dec. 4.	Industrial F.C. 1	Roses F.C. 1	J. B. Stark
Dec. 11.	Gillespie F.C. 1	Caledonian F.C. 1	Wm. Bascom, Jr.
Dec. 11.	*Roses F.C. 1	Industrial F.C. 2	J. B. Stark
Dec. 18.	*Caledonian F.C. 6	Gillespie F.C. 0	J. B. Stark

Missouri District.

Dec. 4.	Scullin Steel F.C. 2	Johnston City F.C. 0	P. J. Kavanaugh
Dec. 11.	Ben Miller F.C. 3	Paulian K. of C. 1	P. McSweeney

Ohio District.

Dec. 11.	Magyar American F.C. 0	White Motors F.C. 0	J. B. Storrie
Dec. 18.	*Magyar American F.C. 0	White Motors F.C. 1	J. B. Storrie

Western Pennsylvania District.

Dec. 4.	Arden F.C. 3	Dunlevy F.C. 0	T. Birks

FOURTH ROUND.

WESTERN DIVISION.

Illinois-Wisconsin District.

Dec. 25.	Pullman F.C. 3	Simmons F.C. 2	J. Johnston

Michigan District.

Dec. 25.	Industrial F.C. 0	Caledonian F.C. 1	W. Ferguson

Missouri District.

Dec. 18.	Scullin Steel F.C. 3	Ben Millers F.C. 0	P. Kavanaugh

Western Pennsylvania District.

Dec. 26.	Arden F.C. 2	White Motors F.C. 0	T. Birks

SEMI-FINALS.

WESTERN DIVISION.

Illinois-Wisconsin and Missouri District.

At St. Louis, Mo.

Jan. 1.	Scullin Steel F.C. 3	Pullman F.C. 0	J. B. Stark

Michigan-Western Pennsylvania District.

At Detroit, Mich.

Jan. 15.	Caledonian F.C. 3	Arden F.C. 2	J. Johnston

FINAL.

WESTERN DIVISION.

At St. Louis, Mo.

Jan. 22.	Scullin Steel F.C. 4	Caledonian F.C. 0	J. Johnston

NATIONAL CHALLENGE CUP COMPETITION FINAL.

At St. Louis, Mo.

Mar. 19.	Scullin Steel F.C. 3	Todd Shipyards F.C. 2	G. Young

*Replay.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE NATIONAL COMMISSION

Detroit, Mich., May 18, 1922.

The 1921-22 National Commission handled the following cases which are summarized herewith and the decisions of the Commission set forth:

1. Percy Hardy, a member of the New York Football Club, who had permission to coach the Royal Oak Lodge, Sons of St. George, took part as a player in one of that team's games. The case was handled by Mr. Scholefield, who left the record incomplete, and I can only report the final judgment as indicated by copy of a letter which he wrote to Treasurer Haddock, under date of July 27, 1921, in which he remitted $10.00 to cover "fine imposed on Percy Hardy of the New York Football Club, by the National Commission, for violation of Rule XXX of the United States Football Association Rules."

2. Under date of August 15, the National Commission by a unanimous vote, approved the purchase by the then Secretary, James E. Scholefield, of a typewriter, at a net cost of $89.10.

3. Immediately prior to the opening of the season of the American Soccer League, the Southern New England Football Association refused the request of two American Soccer League Clubs, the J. & P. Coats Football Club and the Fall River United Football Club, to take part in that competition. The two clubs appealed to the National Commission and the case was submitted under date of September 2, 1921. There was considerable correspondence submitted to the Commission with the Appeal, which was given consideration and the Commission, by unanimous vote, overruled the action of the Southern New England Football Association, and recognized the right of the two clubs in question to participate in the American Soccer League Competition. This decision was formally promulgated under date of September 12, 1921.

4. Case of players Lorimer, Collier and Fletcher, professional players of the Philadelphia Soccer Club of the American Soccer League, who played without authority or permission, in a game as members of a team opposing their own club, on September 10, in Philadelphia. On September 23, by unanimous vote of the Commission, each of the three players was fined $10.00, upon admission of the facts as above.

5. In September, 1921, an application was received from the Northern Massachusetts and New Hampshire S.F.A. to promote the "Paton Charity Cup Competition." It was submited by the then Secretary Scholefield to the National Commission, the vote of which was indefinite and inconclusive, assent being based on certain conditions regarding the objects and rules of the proposed competition. As far as the records, as left by Mr. Scholefield when he absconded show, it is not possible to determine what action, if any, was taken on the application, though I understand the competition has been carried on. It is a matter which can be settled in the Council by a presentation of the facts by the Northern Massachusetts and New Hampshire S.F.A.

6. A petition was received from Walter E. Page, professional player, dated October 4, asking the remission of the suspension which was in effect against him. His plea was based on his great need of the money he could get from playing professional football, because of small earnings and a sick wife. The plea was granted, under date of October 19, more as an expression of feeling on the part of the members of the Commission than as an act of justice.

7. The case of Warren J. Rooney, professional player, Frankford, Philadelphia, was based upon his having played two games for the Hibernian Football Club without being registered as a member of that club. He had been a member of the New York Football Club, from which he was released on December 16, 1921, and played with the Hibernians without signing as a member of that club. There was no dispute as to the facts in the case, and the Commission under date of January 7, 1921, imposed a fine of $20 upon the Hibernian Football Club and a fine of $10 upon player Rooney.

8. The case of Ernest Barboza, professional player, was a serious one. After being registered as a professional player for the St. Michael's Football Club in the 1921-22 season and being released by that club on December 8, 1921, he re-signed for

the same club as a professional on January 21, 1922. Meantime he had signed as an amateur with the Universal Tigers and played as an amateur for that club against the Starlight Football Club on December 26, 1921. By unanimous vote, on January 28, the Commission fined player Barboza $25, ordering him suspended until the fine was paid. He was warned that a repetition of the offense would result in very severe punishment.

9. Under instructions of Douglas Stewart, Chairman of the National Challenge Cup Competition Committee, the vote of the Commission was taken on an appropriation of $592, to pay for the medals and trophies of the different placed clubs in the National Challenge Cup Competition, which was unanimously ordered, under date of April 12, 1922.

10. On recommendation of the Reinstatement Committee, the Commission members made the following reinstatements as amateurs:

March 12, 1922—John B. Foy, 1557 Papineau Avenue, Montreal; Frank Sturch, 90 Bond Street, West, Oshawa, Canada, and John de Bruyn, 76 South Plymouth Avenue, Rochester, N. Y.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE HEALEY, Chairman.

Federation Internationale de Football Association, 1921-1922

Instituted at Paris, May 21, 1904.

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Poland—*Polski Zwiazek Pilki Noznej.* Hon. Secr. J. W. WEYSSENHOFF, Krakow, Golebia 13.

Rumania—*Federatiunca Societatilor de Sport din Romania* (1912). Hon. Secr.: H. R. H. Prince CAROL of Rumania. Office: Bucarest, 6 Strada G. Clemenceau (Fosta Corabici).

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The associations are reminded of the following articles:

Without the consent of the Federation football shall not be entertained between its members and associations, clubs or persons, which are not members of an association recognized by the Federation.

Each national association must inform the other national association concerned when consent has been given for matches applied for.

Each association shall forward to the Secretary-Treasurer and the other affiliated associations their official organ, handbook and important communications.

C. A. W. HIRSCHMAN,
Hon. Secretary-Treasurer.

Amsterdam, September 21, 1921.

American Soccer Standard High

By John E. Wray, St. Louis, Mo.

United States' place in the soccer world was one of the interesting football topics brought up for discussion this year. The belief informally expressed by Thomas W. Cahill, one of the founders of our national body, that a team of American-born players from this country was about ready for a test with the Old Country players, caused considerable discussion in English newspapers and elicited some caustic comment on the part of "Old Country" residents in the United States.

The "Athletic News" of Manchester, England, became so far interested as to give the personnel of a British team which it thought would be invincible, no matter what country sent an eleven against it. The tenor of foreign comment was that the United States players would not be able to make headway, even against second class teams in organized British soccer football circles.

In England the thought was that American te hnique was far below what it should be. The prevailing opinion over there seemed to be that American teams spend most of their time wasting speed and energy in accomplishing that which British players do by finesse, with a minimum of energy expended. The presumption was that the American speed would exhaust itself and leave the U. S. team at the mercy of its British foes.

British information as to American soccer, however, appears to be faulty. It has not taken into consideration that by American soccer is meant the game as played by American-born players. To amplify it is only necessary to point out that St. Louis is the one city in the United States that has supplied all-American-born teams for the cup contests, and that in the three years in which its elevens have taken part, it won two titles and was a finalist the other time. That it did not win all three finals was due to the fact that baseball affiliations took away several players of the St. Louis eleven that competed and lost in 1921.

It is desired to point out that this country has not only an American-born championship team, but a strictly American style of soccer. It is this American style of play that we hope will prevail when an international contest is arranged.

Information concerning American soccer sent to England has largely originated in the East, where the backbone of the strength of U. S. cup contenders has consisted of second-rate foreign players. No opportunity has been afforded to view the American style of play, except in the rare instances when a St. Louis team has gone East. Thus many reports sent to England have been based on the presumption that second-rate foreigners were figuring in the U. S. cup semi-finals and finals.

It should be remembered, in this connection, that American-born players consistently have shown superiority to the foreigner, and because of our distinctly American style—don't forget that.

As to this "American style"—it has but one axiom; beat the other fellow to the ball throughout the match and you can't fail to win. Of course the presumption also goes with it that goal-shooting accuracy and a reasonable amount of efficiency in all other departments also exist. But speed, the long pass and goal-shooting are the objectives that Americans work toward.

Here in St. Louis we have seen many foreign-born players and teams perform in the last twenty years, including the Pilgrims. And nothing has been shown that alters the conviction that the American theory is well-founded. It is true that the Pilgrims, some eighteen years ago, toyed with their St. Louis rivals. But they came in mid-summer when local soccer clubs had been disbanded for two months. They defeated a pick-up team of "fatties." Also, the present scheme of play had not then been perfected by our elevens.

As respects the visits of all other foreign-born players, we have yet to see any who surpassed the stars of our St. Louis clubs or any team combinations which could consistently prevail against the local style of play.

However, one of the most competent authorities in the Western District, Richard Jarrett, a player of wide note in former days and an old country player of high rank, has expressed the view that United States soccer is not yet able to defeat Britain's best. Jarrett's view is valuable because he himself played with St. Louis players and knows all the virtues of American-born soccer as well as those of the British variety. When shown the list of players named by the Manchester "Athletic News" as the all-British team that might oppose an American-born eleven Jarrett said:

"That British team would correspond in this country to a team of Sislers, in baseball. American soccer players have some very strong points. If they adopted some of England's good ones in addition they would be unbeatable. But I do not think they have much of a chance today."

Perhaps they have not. But that does not lessen the interest that would attach to an international contest which could be held in all good fellowship and with due respect for the best team. The interest would be in the test which would afford a true valuation of the place American-born soccer and the American style deserves.

If we are headed wrong, why not find it out by arranging a series with an all-British team of undoubted merit? The promoters will surely not suffer, whether the matches be held here or in England.

Personally, I think the Americans would prove a huge surprise. Three or four years ago, when it was first announced that St. Louis would enter a United States cup championship, I wrote an article for this publication in which it was predicted that the St. Louis team would be a finalist, if it did not win the cup. Old countrymen gave the idea the laugh; but St. Louis won. It was also a finalist the following year. It won the cup again the next campaign. It will win again in 1923, unless accidents intervene. I also, in the article referred to, suggested that the time was not far distant when an American-born eleven would compete against a British team for the championship of the world.

And here it is being discussed today, less than four years later!

And therefore when I add that the Americans will surprise the British, I do not mean that they will necessarily win; but I certainly believe, as does every unbiased soccer critic who has seen St. Louis football elevens at their best, that England's idea that we will be beaten with ease, will prove fallacious.

Year after year has seen the American *punch* triumph over British technique. In boxing, in tennis, in golf, in rowing, in polo, in practically every sport where Britain once was supreme, we find that the old country craze for "form" has succumbed to the American theory of punch. "Hit 'em hard and often" has won America's way to the fore. It should apply again in soccer.

One more word: England apparently misunderstands our use of the word "aggressiveness." It construes this to mean merely storming aimlessly about the field, crashing into opponents and using sheer force merely to disconcert the foe. This is not the case. Our aggressiveness is within the rules and means merely persistence in effort and at top speed from start to finish. The American plan knows no saving of the physical man. The weakling who follows the system of saving himself for the finish will find the Americans traveling at the same speed at the close as at the start.

And that's what wins.

Soccer Advancement and Outlook

By Carlton T. Reynolds, Fall River, Mass.

Soccer, the sport which only a comparatively few years ago we regarded as solely one for the old continent, today is the king of fall and spring games in our East and Middle West and on the Pacific Coast. Its rise as a sport in the United States has been meteoric, especially in the past half decade; until now in many quarters, particularly New England, it rivals in no small degree the national game of baseball. There are many, no doubt, who will show a strong tendency to disagree with this assertion. The writer, however, being familiar with the soccer game in the New England States, having watched its growth for the past ten years or more, feels certain of his ground when he makes the statement, that except in the far South, the international game leads all other sports, with the exception of baseball.

That it will never supplant the present national game in the United States in popularity is a certainty. Even the most ardent and partial soccer fan will not differ on this point; nevertheless there is no good reason why it should not be on a par with baseball. It is a scientific game, requiring men of unquestioned skill and endurance and when conducted under constituted authority and by competent officials, there is no better or more exciting outdoor sport. Its season starts as the baseball season ends and terminates when the national pastime is about to commence.

At present soccer might be termed by the uninitiated a sort of go-between, something which fills in, so to speak. Yes, it does fill in; it fills in a much-needed want for those who are not deeply interested in baseball and other sports and at the same time it is adding thousands—yes, tens of thousands—of loyal supporters yearly, who, by their co-operation and participation are raising the game to a plane which it justly deserves. It is our national spring and fall sport. The seeds of progress have been sowed in the United States and have taken firm root, they are spreading out and multiplying year by year and the time is not far distant when soccer will be on the same plane in the United States, that it is in England, the birthplace of the game, today.

Why has its growth in the United States been so great? Why have Americans taken to this foreign sport and placed it in a position whereby it bids fair in a few years to be on a par with baseball? Nearly every reader must sometime ask himself this question.

There are a number of reasons why the sport has taken such a firm hold on the American youth. Originally, soccer was introduced in the United States by the British. It was a foreign game. Baseball, on the other hand, was born here and grew up with the nation. Naturally, the American took to baseball and soccer was forced in the background, being played mostly by English residents here for long. There was no constituted authority governing the game. The Englishman played it as he had learned it in the "old country"; but he was in the minority here and the American-born, unless of English parentage, took little interest. If he did enter into the play, he failed to take the sport as a serious one and participated in what might be termed "rough house" style. This was due, as stated before, to the lack of real constituted authority governing the sport here. Too few knew the fine points of the game in those days.

Through the efforts of a few enthusiasts, it was decided to put the sport on something like a sound basis in America. Advancing years saw the forma-

tion of the American Football Association and also the United States Football Association. Efforts were made to stimulate an interest in the game and foreign teams were imported for the purpose of giving the Americans an insight on real scientific soccer. Truly the progress was slow for many years; the game did not "take" as rapidly as base ball and then too, it had to buck up against the opposition presented by the American rugby or college football game which was, and is today, an outstanding athletic sport in the United States.

Soccer, however, had its strong supporters and among them was Thomas W. Cahill, who in the mind of the writer is one of the real, big men in the American soccer world. While honorary secretary of the United States Football Association, which position Mr. Cahill held for a great many years with success, he worked wonders for the advancement of the game in the United States. He is known the length and breadth of the States and Canada as a leading figure in the sport's advancement and is regarded by the football associations of Great Britain, France, Sweden, Norway and Denmark, as the real moving spirit in soccer in America. He well may be so classed, for it was through his efforts to a very great extent, that the game has been placed on such a high plane here.

Truly, Mr. Cahill did not accomplish everything single-handed. He had, however, in the past the power and personality of drawing about him the real soccer enthusiasts, the men who could accomplish things; who, aided by Mr. Cahill's wealth of knowledge, enthusiasm and indefatigability have succeeded in cultivating the seeds sown in years past, until now soccer is decidedly in the ascendency.

Something else which did a great deal toward promoting the soccer game in the United States was the world war. The writer remembers making the prediction back in 1917 when America entered the war that when the struggle was over and peace restored, there would be thousands of soccer players and fans who prior to the conflict did not know what a soccer ball looked like, let alone having kicked one.

It was here again, that Cahill's foresight aided in bringing success to the game. When the hundreds of thousands of American boys were brought together in the cantonments for the purpose of instruction, and athletic officers were named to supervise all sports, in order that America's offering of man-power to the Allies might be in the best possible condition physically, it was Tom Cahill who hit upon the plan of supplying the cantonments with soccer footballs. It was one of the wisest moves that Mr. Cahill and the U.S.F.A. ever made for the promotion of the game in the States. Soccer when explained and played in accordance with the rules and under proper supervision commenced to find favor and keen competition resulted.

Soccer was just what the native-born American youth had been craving for. It gave him the opportunity of getting out and rubbing shoulders with his buddy. It furnished clean, wholesome competition and required skill and stamina to play it scientifically. It was just what the red-blooded young soldier wanted and he took to it immediately. Soccer advanced rapidly in the camps and followed the troops to France and later into Germany. Inter-divisional games were played and the Americans also tested their skill against the teams of the Allies with marked success. They showed other nations of the world that they could play their national game with equal skill and when they returned to America, their love for the soccer game returned with them.

Since the war its advancement, as stated at the outset, has been rapid. The American-born youth is now the soccer enthusiast; he has taken the place of that little band of pioneers who introduced the game here many

decades ago, and he will see it through to the highest possible success, as is characteristic of the American youth in everything in which he manifests real interest. That he will put soccer on the highest plane possible in America in the next few years is a certainty.

Another incentive to the development of the game is the National Challenge Cup Competition. This is the world's series of soccer in America. The formation of leagues throughout the States, all of them under the direct supervision of the United States Football Association, has boosted the sport. City, county, state and district cup competitions have done their part, too; until now the game is exceedingly popular.

The past year witnessed one of the biggest steps in American soccer advancement. There are many, who for personal reasons, may differ with this opinion. Be it so, the American Soccer League launched last Fall will prove itself the real builder of soccer, particularly in the East. Few ventures of an athletic nature have attained the success which was enjoyed by Cahill's first major professional soccer organization on its initial season.

It is clearly evident to all followers of the sport, that soccer will soon be in the vanguard. It has passed the infant stage. It has been taken up enthusiastically by the schools and colleges of the country and by some is classed as a major sport. Its continued success is certain. The outlook for the coming year is brighter than that of any season that has gone before.

1, Oberle; 2, Murphy; 3, Bentley; 4, T. Brady, Mgr. & Capt.; 5, Oellermann; 6, Zarschel; 7, Mulvey; 8, Nolan; 9, O'Hanlon; 10, Diel; 11, Bechtold; 12, C. Brady; 13, Schwarz; 14, Hennessey; 15, Brannigan.

SCULLIN STEEL CO. SOCCER TEAM, ST. LOUIS, MO.—NATIONAL CHAMPIONS, 1921-22.

National Cup Final at St. Louis

PREVIOUS WINNERS.

1913-14—At Pawtucket, R. I., May 16, 1914; Brooklyn Field Club 2, Brooklyn Celtic F.C. 1; referee, Charles E. Creighton, New York City.

1914-15—At Taylor Stadium, Lehigh University, South Bethlehem, Pa., May 1, 1915; Bethlehem Steel Co. F.C. 3, Brooklyn Celtic F.C. 1; referee, George Lambie, Boston, Mass.

1915-16—At Pawtucket, R. I., May 6, 1916; Bethlehem Steel Co. F.C. 1, Fall River Rovers 0; referee, David M. Whyte, Brooklyn, N. Y.

1916-17—At Pawtucket, R. I., May 5, 1917; Fall River Rovers 1, Bethlehem Steel Co. F.C. 0; referee, William Taylor, Pawtucket, R. I.

1917-18—At Pawtucket, R. I.; Fall River Rovers 2, Bethlehem Steel Co. F.C. 2, referee, Charles E. Creighton, New York City. Play-off at Harrison, N. J.; Bethlehem Steel Co. F.C. 3, Fall River Rovers 0; referee, Charles E. Creighton, New York City.

1918-19—At Fall River, Mass., April 19, 1919; Bethlehem Steel Co. F.C. 2, Paterson F.C. 0; referee, George Lambie, Southbridge, Mass.

1919-20—At Federal League Park, St. Louis, Mo., May 9, 1920; Ben Millers 2, Fore River F.C. 1; referee, Alexander McKenzie, Chicago, Ill.

1920-21—At Fall River, Mass., April 19, 1921; Robins Dry Dock F.C., Brooklyn, N. Y. 4, Scullin Steel F.C., St. Louis, Mo. 2; referee, James E. Scholefield, Bristol, Conn.

BY HERMAN WECKE.

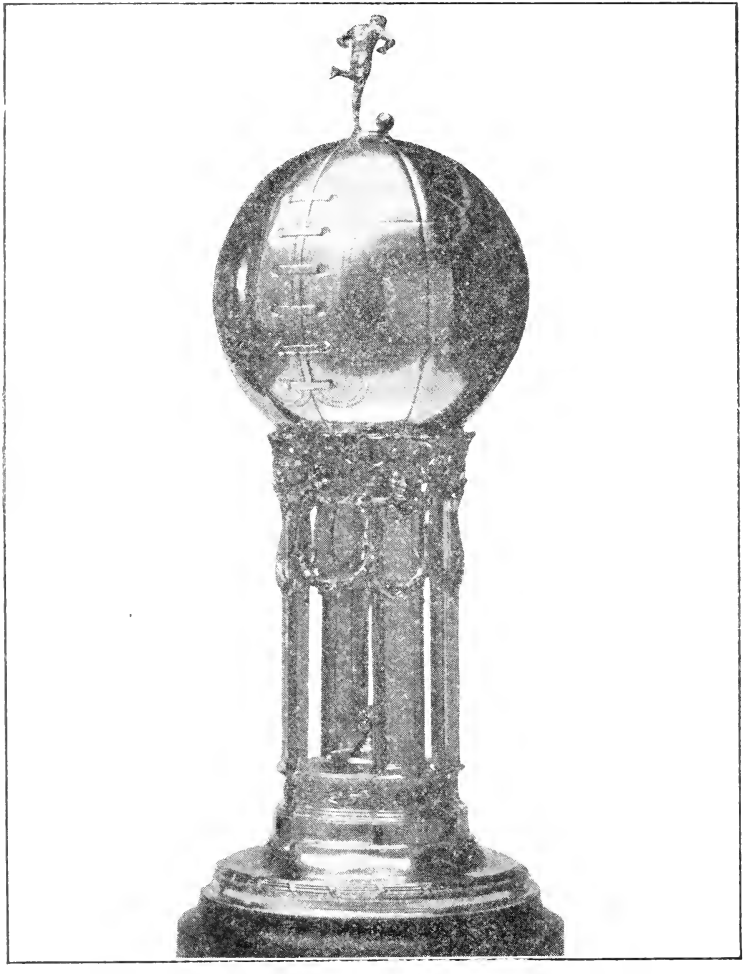
Overcoming a 2 goal lead gained by the Todd Shipyard Football Club of Brooklyn in the first twenty minutes of play, the Scullin F.C. of St. Louis won the United States Soccer championship, 3 goals to 2, in the National Challenge Cup Competition final played March 19, 1922, at High School Field, St. Louis. The deciding goal was scored with only four minutes of play remaining.

With the victory for the Scullins, St. Louis regained the national challenge cup, lost in 1921, when the Scullins, with a crippled eleven went East, and were defeated, 4 to 2. St. Louis now has a record of winning two championships and being the runnerup once in the three years it has engaged in the national competition.

It was the second time that an All-American born team has gained the country's highest honors in soccer. The Ben Millers, also of St. Louis, accomplished the feat in 1920, defeating Fore River F.C. of Quincy, Mass., 2—1.

To Elmer Schwarz, center forward of the Scullins, went the honor of bringing the title back to St. Louis. It was Schwarz who in the waning moments of the second half booted the mud-soaked ball into the upper corner of the net for what proved the deciding point. While Schwarz was the hero, he had plenty of assistance from every member of the Brady eleven.

The most startling point of the contest from the viewpoint of close to 9000 spectators, who paid admissions despite the fact that until fifteen minutes before game time rain came down in torrents, was the "comeback" of the St. Louis team. For the first thirty minutes the Scullins played like the weakest of St. Louis' municipal teams. In this time the Scullins seemed anchored. The forwards could not function together; the half-backs were repeatedly missing the front line men of the Todds and it was only brilliant defensive play of Tate Brady, Bentley and Oellerman that kept the Todds from scoring a half dozen instead of only two goals.



NATIONAL CHALLENGE CUP TROPHY.

Now in competition for the tenth time. It is for the honor of having possession of this beautiful trophy that one hundred and thirty-two soccer clubs in all parts of the country have teams engaged in keen and clean rivalry.

In the first half, the Eastern eleven gave as pretty an exhibition of combination play as had ever been seen in St. Louis. This despite a field that made footing very uncertain. In this time three Todd men were always on the ball. The short pass employed by the forwards, and even the half-backs in feeding the first line of offense was a revelation considering the wet field.

But after half an hour of play things changed. The youth and stamina of the Scullins started telling. And once the Eastern veterans started to tire, the Scullins were by far the better team. The forwards played as they should, while the half-backs broke up the combination play of the drydock eleven. Condition was on the side of the Scullins as evinced by the fact that time was taken out three times for Todd players by Referee George Young, of Philadelphia, who handled the game in capable style, and not once for a Scullin man.

For the last fifteen minutes of the first half and the entire closing period, the Scullin forwards gave an exhibition of the worth of the long pass. All three goals were made possible by the use of the strictly American style play. Ability to beat the heavier and slower moving Todds to the ball also helped materially.

Statistics on the game show how completely the Todds were stopped in the second half. They had sixteen shots at goal in the first period and only three in the second. Of eleven corner kicks for the Todds, nine came in the first half hour. The Scullins had only three corner kicks in the entire ninety minutes and fifteen shots at goal. Eight fouls were called against the Scullins and ten against the Todds.

At the start of the game it looked as though the Todds would make a runaway. They forced matters and narrowly missed scoring after six minutes of play. After sixteen and one-half minutes, their efforts bore fruit. Harry Ratican, native St. Louis boy, at center for the Todds got the ball, dribbled a short distance and passed to McGuire, who made good with a long shot that was deflected by right-half Hennessey's arm into the net for the first goal of the game.

Less than two minutes later McGuire sent in the second and final goal for the Todds. He accomplished this one unaided. Taking a throw-in he worked over to the penalty area and then made good from fifteen yards out with a pretty shot.

It was soon after this that the Scullins suddenly found themselves. The forwards started long runs down the field. It was not until after thirty-seven minutes of play that they scored. After forcing two throw-ins, Bechtold carried the ball down the right side and crossed to center. Cliff Brady, although off balance, banged the ball into the net for the prettiest goal of the game.

After the change of ends, the Scullins continued to rush and after twenty-six minutes of the second half had elapsed, they tied the score. Half-back Joe Hennessey, who did not seem to be getting anywhere, but who nevertheless kept his opponents from starring, passed to Schwarz, who counted with a shot that went over Goalie Renzulli's shoulder.

From then it was a real battle until four minutes from the finish, when Schwarz shot his telling goal. The Scullin center forward dribbled into the penalty area. There his progress seemed to halt. He stood still, blocked the ball to let an opponent dash past. He did the same for another who came from the opposite direction. Then he raised the ball far into the corner out of Renzulli's reach for the goal that gave his team ample revenge for the defeat of the previous year.

In gaining the national title, the Scullins had an enviable record. They played six National Cup Competition games, scoring seventeen goals whereas

their opponents were able to tally only three. The St. Louis Screw Co. F.C., another St. Louis eleven, was the only outfit with the exception of the Todds, to score against the 1921-22 soccer champions. The Todds in eight national cup games in the season counted 28 goals against 11 for their opponents.

The lineups of the championship game:

Scullins (3).	Position.	Todds (2).
Oellerman	Goal	Renzulli
Bentley	Right Full-back	Smith
T. Brady	Left Full-back	Whitehead
Hennessey	Right Half-back	Fryer
Zarchel	Center Half-back	Campbell
Nolan	Left Half-back	Irvine
Mulvey	Outside Left	Sweeney
Brannigan	Inside Left	McKenna
Schwarz	Center Forward	Ratican
C. Brady	Inside Right	McGuire
Bechtold	Outside Right	McKelvey

Goals—C. Brady, Schwarz 2, McGuire 2. Time of halves—45 minutes. Referee—George Young of Philadelphia. Linesmen—Paul McSweeney and P. J. Kavanaugh of St. Louis.

Eastern Division National Cup Final

By Edward Walsh, Fall River.

The breaks of the game played an important part in the Eastern Division final of the U.S.F.A. national championships, played at Fall River on Saturday, February 25, 1922. The breaks were unquestionably against the plucky Abbot Worsted team of Forge Village, Mass. The Todd Shipyard eleven of Brooklyn, comprising a collection of vets, each and every one of whom could boast of experience in many championship struggles, conquered the plucky little Bay State aggregation by the score 2 to 1, but not until the whistle had sounded the end of one of the finest soccer struggles ever witnessed on a Fall River soccer pitch.

Going in with the odds against them, the Abbots fought a sturdy uphill battle against the wonderful Brooklyn kicking machine. Their display of gameness under fire was remarkable and but for a fluky play the Forge Villagers might have held the crack Brooklynites to a tie. The Abbots, led by Jack Kershaw, held the Todds scoreless in the first half. The field was heavy, due to recent rains, and it made the going difficult. The Abbots, too, were complete strangers to the field, on which the Todds, however, had played numerous American League and National Cup games.

By dint of hard, defensive work the Abbots successfully resisted numerous advances by the shipbuilders' dashing forward line. When the half-time whistle sounded, though the Abbots had been on the defensive practically all the way in this session yet they had proven more than a match for their opponents in this department. The work of Hulse and Ross, the Abbots' backs, was remarkable. The half had been without rough work. Both teams had displayed remarkable stamina.

Early in the second half the Brooklyn machine resumed an almost continuous bombardment of the territory guarded by the Abbots. Counter-forward Harry Ratican planted Todds' first score. The goal came in less than five minutes after the restart and it was the result of clever soccer strategy.

The ball had been worked directly into the Abbots' goal, as on many other occasions. Ratican, Hosie and McGuire had brought about several clever combination plays in an effort to pass the stalwart pair of backs defending the Abbots' goal. McIntosh, the lanky Abbot goal guardian, had been called upon to save many bruising shots He had seemed invincible at all times. But to the surprise of the 8,000 fans the Abbots' goalie made a mistake in allowing Ratican to trick him into jumping out of position.

Ratican had received a long pass and with his short passes and those of McGuire and Hosie, penetrated the first line of defense and were en route into the goal area. When in position to shoot, Ratican feinted a pass to his co-worker, McGuire, on the wing, causing McIntosh to change his position in anticipation of a quick shot from McGuire. Instead, Ratican shifted and quickly booted a straight shot into the net. McIntosh made a desperate but futile effort to regain his position in time to block Ratican's drive.

Soon after play was started again Ratican tallied another goal—one that was to prove the winning point. McIntosh had made a clearance on a slow drive from McKelvey. Not expecting anyone to follow the ball, the Abbots' goalie failed to make haste in clearing. While stooping to pick up the ball he did not see Ratican rushing toward him. When McIntosh raised up to kick clear of his goal, Ratican was but six or eight feet away and directly

in front of him. When McIntosh kicked, Ratican turned quickly to protect himself and McIntosh, probably confused, kicked hastily and directly at Ratican. The ball struck Ratican's body and bounded back into the goal for Todds' second score. Ratican's keen judgment and persistence in following up an apparently useless attack brought victory to the Todds.

The Abbots might have been disheartened by the sudden turn of affairs, but the sturdy little Kershaw put renewed vigor into the Abbots' machine in quick time and in the last fifteen minutes of play the Todds were given the battle of their lives.

The Brooklyn aggregation, of course, played on the defensive with two goals to the good, yet it had no easy time of it. Whitehead and Smith, Todd backs, were overworked and once failed to hold under the strain. Kershaw, snapping up a return pass from Page, on the inside right, booted from the fifteen-yard line and the ball sailed into the netting for the only Abbot score of the game. The Forge Villagers renewed the assault and battled desperately to pierce again the strong Todd defense. Play became rough in the last few hot moments, but nothing untoward developed. Repeated and well-directed attempts to penetrate the Todds' defense were in vain, but the final whistle found the Abbots still fighting. The line-up:

Abbot Worsted (1).	Position.	Todd Shipyards (2).
McIntosh	Goal	Renzulli
Hulse	Right Full-back	Smith
Ross	Left Full-back	Whitehead
Cosgrove	Right Half-back	Fryer
Kelly	Center Half-back	Campbell
Duncan	Left Half-back	Irvine
Farquhar	Outside Right	McKelvey
Page	Inside Right	McGuire
Kershaw	Center Forward	Ratican
Kane	Inside Left	Hosie
McMaster	Outside Left	Sweeney

Score—Todds 2, Abbots 1. Goals—Ratican 2, Kershaw 1. Referee—Norse, New Bedford. Linesmen—Welch, Boston, and Carroll, Greystone, R. I. Time—45-minute halves.

American Soccer League

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STANDING OF CLUBS AT CLOSE OF SEASON, 1921-22.

Club.	W.	D.	L.	Pts.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Club.	W.	D.	L.	Pts.	Goals F.	Goals A.
Philadelphia	17	4	3	38	72	36	Pawtkt (Coats)	9	5	9	23	34	40
New York	14	5	5	33	59	33	Fall River	5	1	18	11	28	57
Bklyn (Todds)	12	5	7	29	56	37	Hlyoke (Falco)	2	3	17	7	17	64
Harrison	8	7	8	23	45	44							

Clubs franchised in American Soccer League up to September 1, 1922, for season 1922-23: New York Soccer Club, New York City; Harrison Soccer Club, Harrison, N. J.; Paterson Football Club, Paterson, N. J.; Bethlehem Steel F.C., Bethlehem, Pa.; J. & P. Coats F.C., Pawtucket, R. I.; Fall River Football Club, Fall River, Mass.

ANNUAL REPORT OF SECRETARY.

NEW YORK, May 31, 1922.

TO THE OFFICIALS AND MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN SOCCER LEAGUE:

In presenting my first annual report as Secretary of the American Soccer League it is hardly necessary for me to enlarge upon the success which has attended our effort to place professional soccer football upon a high plane of organization in the United States.

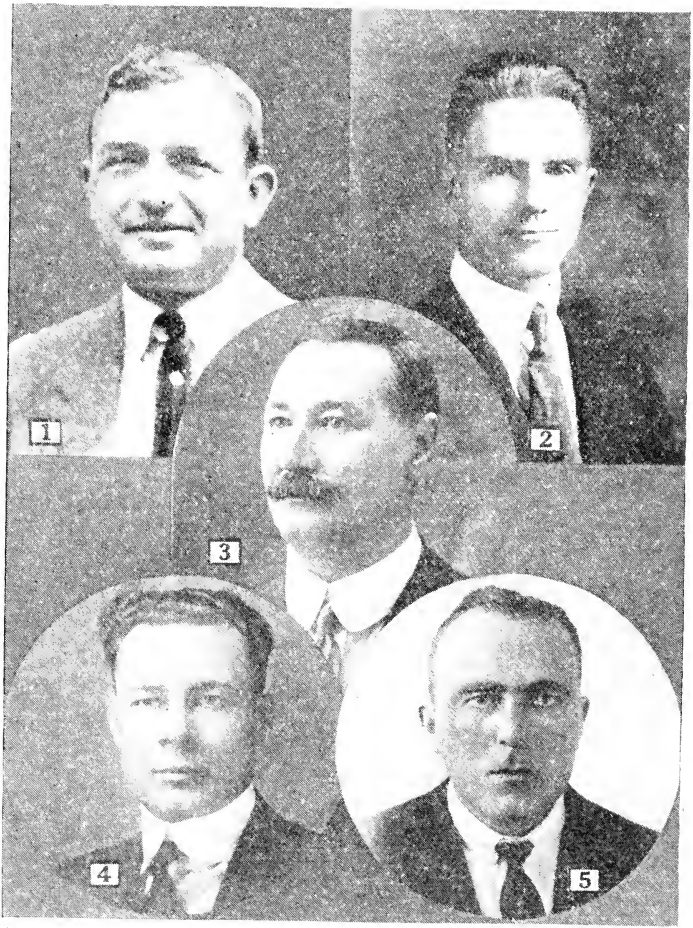
You have all been such a vital part in this success that you have excellent reason to congratulate each other and the organization as a whole. As many of you know, it has been my dream for years to have professional soccer organized on the lines which we have laid down in the American Soccer League and one need not be possessed of the gift of prophecy to look into the future and see not only a steady and rapid growth for the American Soccer League but also the formation of similar leagues in other sections of the country.

This brings me to the point of observing, even though it may seem a far look ahead, that we should look closely to our lines and see that we bring either into our organization, or within its sphere of influence, as much soccer territory as it is practicable for us to handle.

As the pioneers of this movement, it is only fair that we should hold the premier place and in my judgment this position is best attained by enlarging that which we have by the extension of our territory, rather than by waiting to let the new fields be developed by some one else with the idea of annexing them when they become self sustaining.

This is laid before you with the earnest hope that you will give it serious thought, for the highest development comes from moving forward of your own motion. Our season has been marked by progression from the beginning. We were playing better football and rousing keener interest at the end of our season that we did at the beginning, and the improvement, which was steady, was greater than I had anticipated.

The fact that one of our clubs, the Todd Shipyards F. C. of Brooklyn, N. Y., was one of the finalists in the National Challenge Cup Competition and the winner of Eastern Division of the National Challenge Cup Competition, and that three of our clubs, namely the New York F. C., the Harrison F. C. and



1, Adolph Buslik, New York City, Manager and Sole Owner Paterson Football Club, American Soccer League. 2, J. F. Sullivan, Brooklyn, N. Y., Recording Secretary American Soccer League, 1922-23. 3, George Massey, Brooklyn, N. Y., Manager Brooklyn Football Club. 4, Harry J. Ratican, Brooklyn, N. Y., one of the star forwards of the United States coach for U. S. Military Academy, West Point, N. Y. 5, Ernest J. Viberg, Manager Viking F.C., 1921-22.

the Falco A. A. F. C. were able to win their State cups, is itself proof of the caliber of our players.

I submit herewith a table showing in detail the games played in the competition by the different clubs, a list of the goal scorers and the standing of the clubs at the close of the season, while the treasurer's report will show our financial success. These two statements are conclusive proof that no soccer league in this country has ever had such a successful initial season.

I wish to extend to the officials and managers my sincerest thanks for the splendid co-operation and support they have most willingly given me throughout the league competition, and to Messrs. H. Edgar and W. Luther Lewis I wish to extend my heartiest congratulations for the splendid team they placed in the field during the past season, and in winning the first league championship. They have proven themselves to be sportsmen of the highest caliber and I am quite sure that the other members of the organization will agree with me in these encomiums.

Respectfully submitted,

T. W. CAHILL, Secretary.

RESULTS OF GAMES PLAYED IN AMERICAN SOCCER LEAGUE COMPETITION.

Sept. 17—Falco A.A.F.C. 3, Fall River F.C. 2; at Fall River, Mass.
Sept. 17—Philadelphia F.C. 3, J. & P. Coats F.C. 0; at Pawtucket, R. I.
Sept. 18—New York F.C. 2, Harrison S.C. 2; at New York Oval, New York City.
Sept. 24—Philadelphia F.C. 6, J. & P. Coats F.C. 2, at Philadelphia, Pa.
Sept. 24—Falco A.A.F.C. 0, Fall River F.C. 2, at Holyoke, Mass.
Sept. 25—Todd Shipyards F.C. 3, Harrison S.C. 2; at Brooklyn, N. Y.
Oct. 1—Philadelphia F.C. 2, New York F.C. 1; at Philadelphia, Pa.
Oct. 1—J. & P. Coats F.C. 0, Todd's F.C. 0; at Pawtucket, R. I.
Oct. 1—Fall River F.C. 1, Harrison S.C. 1; at Fall River, Mass.
Oct. 2—Philadelphia F.C. 2, Todd Ship. F.C. 0; at Todd's Field, Brooklyn. N. Y.
Oct. 2—New York F.C. 0, J. & P. Coats F.C. 2; at New York Oval, New York City.
Oct. 8—Falco A.A.F.C. 1, Harrison S.C. 3; at Holyoke, Mass.
Oct. 9—Todd Shipyards F.C. 0, Falco A.A.F.C. 0; at Todd's Field, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Oct. 22—New York F.C. 3, Philadelphia F.C. 3; at New York Oval, New York City.
Oct. 22—J. & P. Coats 1, New York F.C. 0; at Pawtucket, R. I.
Oct. 22—Todd Shipyards F.C. 2, Fall River F.C. 0; at Fall River, Mass.
Oct. 22—Philadelphia F.C. 5, Falco A.A.F.C. 1; at Philadelphia, Pa.
Oct. 23—New York F.C. 6, Fall River F.C. 1; at New York Oval, New York City.
Oct. 23—Todd Shipyards F.C. 4, J. & P. Coats F.C. 1; at Todd's Field, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Oct. 29—Falco A.A.F.C. 1, Todd Shipyards F.C. 4; at Holyoke, Mass.
Oct. 29—Fall River F.C. 1, New York F.C. 2; at Fall River, Mass.
Oct. 29—Philadelphia F.C. 3, Harrison S.C. 1; at Philadelphia, Pa.
Oct. 30—New York F.C. 0, Falco A.A.F.C. 0; at New York Oval, New York City.
Oct. 30—Harrison S.C. 1, J. & P. Coats F.C. 1; at Harrison, N. J.
Oct. 30—Todd Shipyards F.C. 6, Fall River F.C. 2; at Todd's Field, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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(1) NEW YORK SOCCER CLUB, Second Place American Soccer League.—1, T. Nolan, Trainer; 2, H. Magee, Secretary; 3, Page; 4, Van den Eynden; 5, Stark; 6, Kelly, Capt.; 7, Gendert; 8, Cooper; 9, Philp; 10, Meyerdierks; 11, Herd; 12, Mayhew, Property Man; 13, M. Vandeweghe, Mgr.; 14, E. Vandeweghe; 15, Duggan; 16, Stark; 17, Barnett; 18, Hardy; 19, Andrews; 20, H. & J. Morgan, Mascots. (2) TODD SHIPYARDS F.C., American Soccer League, Eastern Champions 1921-22; Runner-Up National Challenge Cup Competition. 1, F. Smith; 2, Roddin; 3, Campbell, Capt.; 4, A. Smith; 5, Renzulli; 6, Fryer; 7, Whitehead; 8, Irvine; 9, Bulger; 10, Drysdale, Mgr.; 11, McKenna; 12, McGuire; 13, Ratican; 14, Hosie; 15, Sweeney.

Nov. 12—Fall River F.C. 4, J. & P. Coats F.C. 1; at Fall River, Mass.
Nov. 13—Harrison S.C. 0, Philadelphia F.C. 3; at Harrison, N. J.
Nov. 13—New York F.C. 3, Todd Shipyards F.C. 0; at New York Oval, New York City.
Nov. 19—Falco A.A.F.C. 0, New York F.C. 4; at Holyoke, Mass.
Nov. 19—Fall River F.C. 0, Philadelphia F.C. 1; at Fall River, Mass.
Nov. 19—J. & P. Coats F.C. 1, Harrison S.C. 1; at Pawtucket, R. I.
Nov. 20—Harrison S.C. 0, Todd Shipyards F.C. 2; at Harrison, N. J.
Dec. 3—Falco A.A.F.C. 3, Philadelphia F.C. 5; at Holyoke, Mass.
Dec. 3—J. & P. Coats F.C. 4, Fall River F.C. 2; at Pawtucket, R. I.
Dec. 10—Philadelphia F.C. 3, Fall River F.C. 1; at Philadelphia, Pa.
Dec. 17—J. & P. Coats F.C. 3, Falco A.A.F.C. 1; at Pawtucket, R. I.
Dec. 17—Philadelphia F.C. 1, Todd Shipyards F.C. 1; at Philadelphia, Pa.
Dec. 18—Harrison S.C. 5, Fall River F.C. 1; at Harrison, N. J.
Dec. 18—Todd Shipyards F.C. 2, New York F.C. 1; at Todd's Field, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Dec. 26—J. & P. Coats F.C. 0, New York F.C. 1; at Pawtucket, R. I.
Dec. 26—Harrison S.C. 7, Falco A.A.F.C. 0; at Harrison, N. J.
Dec. 31—J. & P. Coats F.C. 3, Todd Shipyards F.C. 3; at Pawtucket, R. I.
Dec. 31—Fall River F.C. 0, Harrison S.C. 2; at Fall River, Mass.
Jan. 1—New York F.C. 3, Falco A.A.F.C. 2; at New York Oval, New York City.
Jan. 2—Philadelphia F.C. 1, New York F.C. 3; at Philadelphia, Pa.
Jan. 2—Fall River F.C. 2, Todd Shipyards F.C. 1; at Fall River, Mass.
Jan. 2—J. & P. Coats F.C. 2, Harrison S. C. 2; at Pawtucket, R. I.
Jan. 7—Philadelphia F.C. 3, J. & P. Coats F.C. 1; at Philadelphia, Pa.
Jan. 8—Harrison S.C. 1, New York FC. 1; at Harrison, N. J.
Jan. 8—Todd Shipyards F.C. 1, J. & P. Coats F.C. 1; at Todd's Field, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Jan. 21—Fall River F.C. 1, Philadelphia F. C. 2; at Fall River, Mass.
Jan. 22—Harrison S.C. 3, Todd Shipyards F.C. 2; at Harrison, N. J.
Jan. 28—Fall River F.C. 1, J. & P. Coats F.C. 2; at Fall River, Mass.
Feb. 5—New York F.C. 5, Harrison S.C. 2; at New York Oval, New York City.
Feb. 5—Todd Shipyards F.C. 6, Philadelphia F.C. 3; at Todd's Field, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Feb. 11—Philadelphia F.C. 5, Fall River F.C. 2; at Philadelphia, Pa.
Feb. 12—New York F.C. 6, Fall River F.C. 1; at New York Oval, New York City.
Feb. 28—Harrison S.C. 2, J. & P. Coats F.C. 1; at Harrison, N. J.
Feb. 28—Todd Shipyards F.C. 3, New York F.C. 4; at Todd's Field, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Mar. 5—Harrison S.C. 1, New York F.C. 3; at Harrison, N. J.
Mar. 11—Fall River F.C. 2, New York F.C. 0; at Fall River, Mass.
Mar. 11—Falco A.A.F.C. 1, J. & P. Coats F.C. 1; at Holyoke, Mass.
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Mar. 18—New York F.C. 3, Philadelphia F.C. 3; at New York Oval, New York City.
Mar. 25—Philadelphia F.C. 6, Falco A.A.F.C. 0; at Philadelphia, Pa.
Mar. 25—Harrison S.C. 1, Fall River F.C. 0; at Harrison, N. J.
Mar. 26—Todd Shipyards F.C. 4, Falco A.A.F.C. 0; at Todd's Field, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mar. 26—New York F.C. 3, J. & P. Coats F.C. 2; at New York Oval, New York City.
Apr. 1—Philadelphia F.C. 1, Todd Shipyards F.C. 1; at Philadelphia, Pa.
Apr. 2—New York F.C. 2, Todd Shipyards F.C. 2; at New York Oval, New York City.
Apr. 15—Falco A.A.F.C. 0, J. & P. Coats F.C. 2; at Holyoke, Mass.
Apr. 16—Todd Shipyards F.C. 3, Harrison S.C. 1; at Todd's Field, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Apr. 19—Falco A.A.F.C. 3, Todd Shipyards F.C. 6; at Holyoke, Mass.
Apr. 22—Fall River F.C. 1, Todd Shipyards F.C. 2; at Fall River, Mass.
Apr. 22—Falco A.A.F.C. 0, Philadelphia F.C. 3; at Holyoke, Mass.
May 6—J. & P. Coats F.C. 1, Philadelphia F.C. 2; at Pawtucket, R. I.
May 13—Falco A.A.F.C. 0, New York F.C. 3; at Holyoke, Mass.
May 14—Falco A.A.F.C. vs. Fall River F.C.*
May 14—Fall River F.C. vs. Falco A.A.F.C.†

*Ordered forfeited to Falco A.A.F.C. at meeting of A.S.L., May 14.
†Ordered forfeited to Fall River F.C. at meeting of A.S.L. on May 14.

GOAL SCORERS.

H. Brittain, Philadelphia	27	A. Smith, Todd Ship	3
J. Heminsley, Harrison	16	J. Kershaw, J. & P. Coats	3
T. Fleming, Philadelphia	15	Wm. Dowdall, Falco	3
F. McKenna, Todd Ship	15	W. Sheppard, J. & P. Coats	2
A. Stark, New York	12	Walter Dowdall, Falco	2
J. McGuire, Todd Ship	10	F. Timmoney, Fall River	2
R. Millar, J. & P. Coats	10	W. Rice, Philadelphia	2
P. Hardy, New York	10	W. Neilson, Philadelphia	2
D. Campbell, Philadelphia	9	W. Philip, New York	2
P. Burnett, New York	8	N. Clarke, Todd Ship	2
C. Lappin, J. & P. Coats	8	A. Blakey, Harrison	2
G. McKelvey, Todd Ship	7	T. Sundberg, Fall River	2
J. Downie, Falco	7	F. Churchley, Fall River	2
F. Morley, Philadelphia	7	J. Brown, Falco	2
P. Andrews, New York	7	A. Moir, Falco	2
T. Duggan, New York	7	W. Collier, Philadelphia	1
P. Corrigan, Fall River	6	A. Lorimer, Philadelphia	1
H. Weir, Fall River	5	J. Jaap, Philadelphia	1
J. Ford, Harrison	5	E. Logan, Falco	
P. Sweeney, Todd Ship	5	C. Kelly, New York	1
W. Shaw, Todd Ship	5	H. Cooper, New York	1
D. Brown, Harrison	5	W. Herd, New York	1
A. Mitchell, J. & P. Coats	5	R. Hosie, Todd Ship	1
P. Butler, Fall River	5	J. Lance, Todd Ship	1
W. P. Forrest, Philadelphia	4	F. Adams, Todd Ship	1
J. Wilson, Harrison	4	W. Koelsch, Harrison	1
C. Weall, J. & P. Coats	4	L. Brierly, Harrison	1
C. Lynch, Fall River	4	F. Butterworth, Harrison	1
F. Pepper, Harrison	4	G. Post, Harrison	1
H. Ratican, Todd Ship	3	H. Bleich, Harrison	1
T. Murray, Philadelphia	3	W. McIntosh, J. & P. Coats	1
W. J. Rooney, New York	3	A. Sandeman, J. & P. Coats	1
T. Stark, New York	3	T. McFarlane, Fall River	1
H. Meyerdirks, New York	3	J. Satterwaite, Fall River	1
W. Fryer, Todd Ship	3	R. Fredette, Falco	1
J. Black, Todd Ship	3	R. Hunziker, New York	1

NUMBER OF PLAYERS USED BY EACH CLUB.

Fall River	32	New York	23
Todds	29	Harrison	23
Philadelphia	25	Falco	23
J. & P. Coats	24		

United States Referees' Association

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The national organization of soccer referees had an active season 1921-22 and did an unusual amount of development work, furthering organization of referees where unorganized and in general aiding in the elevation of the arbiters' lot and their work to a higher plane than ever before.

At the seventh annual meeting of the U.S.R.U., held at Hotel Berwick, Newark, N. J., on June 3, 1922, there was a large attendance and the officers' reports contained much of special interest. These referees' associations, New England, Western New England, National of New York, Ohio State, Michigan State, Illinois State, American of New Jersey, California, Philadelphia, and Southern New Jersey, were affiliated and paid-up members during the past season.

Standardization of the referee's uniform was voted, to consist of short knee pants of navy blue, white shirt with soft attached collar, and lightweight, loose-fitting coat in navy blue or black, and all U.S.R.U. referees were ordered to be so attired by the start of season 1924-25.

The Union voted to request the United States Football Association to appoint to National Challenge Cup Competition matches only such referees as were affiliated to the Union and in good standing.

Secretary Thomas W. Cahill of the U.S.F.A., President A. M. Brown of the New Jersey State F.A., William Patrick and David L. Gould, coach of the University of Pennsylvania soccer team, addressed the meeting. It was decided the next annual meeting should be held in the New England district if possible.

1, George M. Collins; 2, Samuel McLerie, arranged the elaborate program for the entertainment of officers and delegates to the ninth annual meeting of the United States Football Association at Boston, May 22-24. The social side of the convention was one of the best in the association's history. 3, "Jack" Kershaw, Coach and Center forward, the Abbott Worsted Soccer F.C. of Forge Village, Mass. 4, George Parlss, President Boston and District League. 5, Tom Wilford, Secretary Boston and District League.

Abbot Soccer Team

National Cup Eastern Division Finalist.

By Jack Kershaw.

The Abbot Soccer Team of Forge Village, Mass., representing Abbot Worsted Company, enjoyed a highly successful season in 1921-22, playing a schedule of 23 games of which it won 19, tied 2 and lost 2. Unfortunately the two defeats, each by a one-goal margin, were in the Abbots' most important matches of the year.

In the Eastern Division National Challenge Cup final at Fall River against the Todd Shipyards F.C. of Brooklyn, the Abbots lost by 2 goals to 1, both of the Todd goals being of decidedly fluky nature, as even Todd partisans will admit.

Then, in the final game of the Massachusetts State Cup series, after one tied game against the Falcos of Holyoke, played at Quincy, the two teams battled two and a half hours at Quincy in the replay, the Falcos eventually winning 3 to 2, the final whistle blowing at the moment the deciding goal nestled in the meshes of the goal net. Experts said the game was the hardest fought in the game's long history in this district.

Abbot S.T. won the North Massachusetts and New Hampshire S.F.A. Industrial League title of 1921-22.

The secret of the Abbot team's remarkable success is in the good sportsmanship of John C. Abbot, who provided comforts and privileges for his players such as few other employers equal. He fraternizes with the team members and his all-round goodfellowship inspired his athletes to extraordinary efforts. Four special trains went with the team for important games away from home, two to Pawtucket, one to Fall River and one to Lawrence, and on each such excursion, the Abbot band of thirty-five pieces and upward of three hundred fans accompanied the players.

The Abbot team's record last season in all competitions, follows:

State League—Abbott 3, Smith & Dove 1; 4 Massachusetts Cotton Mills 1; 2, American Woolen Co. 3; 4, General Electric Co. 0; 1, Arlington Mills 0; 2, Arlington Mills 0. Goal totals, 16 for; 5 against. Goal scorers, Kershaw 5; MacMaster 4; Ritchie 2; Duncan, Farquhar, Hulse, Kane, Page, 1 each.

National Cup—First round: 1, Massachusetts Cotton Mill 0 (goal, Kershaw). Second round: 2, American Woolen Co. 0 (goals, Kershaw, Ritchie). Third round: 1, Grey & Davis 0 (goal, Ross). Fourth round—1, Fairlawn Rovers 1 (goal, Kershaw); replay: 2, Fairlawn Rovers 0 (goals, Kershaw, Page). Eastern semi-final: 3, Falco 1 (goals, Kershaw 3). Eastern division final: Todds S.F.C. 2, Abbot 1 (goal, Kershaw). Goal totals, 12 for; 4 against.

Massachusetts State Cup—First round: 8, General Electric 0 (goals, Kershaw 3, Hulse, Page, MacMaster, McIntosh, Cosgrove). Second round—6, Methuen 2 (goals, Kershaw 3, Page 2, Farquhar). Third round—2, Grey & Davis 0 (goals, Kershaw, Farquhar).

Exhibition—2, Fall River United (American League) 1 (goals, Kershaw, Farquhar).

State League—5, Massachusetts Cotton Mills, 0 (goals, Kershaw 3, Farquhar, Kane); 5, Smith & Dove 1 (goals, Kershaw 4, Kane); 4, American Woolen Co. 0 (goals, Kershaw 2, Page, Cosgrove). Semi-final: 3, Fore River 1 (goals, Kershaw 2, Page). Final: 1, Falco 1 (goal, Kershaw); replay: Falco 3, Abbot 2 (goals, Kershaw 2).

Goal summaries, all competitions—Kershaw 35, Page 7, Farquhar 5, McMaster 5, Ritchie 3, Kane 3, Hulse, Cosgrove 2 each, Duncan, McIntosh, Ross, 1 each. Team totals, Abbots 64; opponents 18.

1, Thomas Bagnall, President Southern New York State Football Association; President and Treasurer New York Footballers' Protective Association; Chairman National Challenge Cup Committee. 2, James Armstrong, Recording Secretary, Southern New York State Football Association; Secretary New York State League; Secretary Brooklyn Football Club. 3, John R. Robbs, New York City, Secretary New York Footballers' Protective Association. 4, James McKinlay, Sr., Rochester, N. Y., President Northwestern New York State Football Association, 1921-22. 5, James McKinlay, Jr., Secretary Northwestern New York State Football Association, 1921-22.

Southern New York State Football Association

President, Thomas Bagnall; Vice-President, Joseph Smith; Treasurer, Charles E. Creighton; Recording Secretary, James Armstrong; Corresponding Secretary, Charles Treacy, 1285 Second Avenue, New York City.

By Charles Treacy.

The Southern New York State Association is still making progress. It has now forty-seven clubs in membership, forty-five of them in leagues and two playing unattached owing to late formation. Last year we had thirty-one clubs. With anything like a similar influx of new teams, season 1922-23 will see us easily overlap our pre-war record of fifty-four clubs.

The big handicap was in having only a half dozen decent grounds. In this congested city grounds are at a premium, and the situation is not becoming brighter. The big clubs, having monetary support, manage to surmount this obstacle, but amateur and junior clubs find it increasingly difficult to procure fields within a reasonable distance. This situation, and this alone, is the greatest barrier in the onward march to seniority of clubs in membership for the S.N.Y.S.F.A.

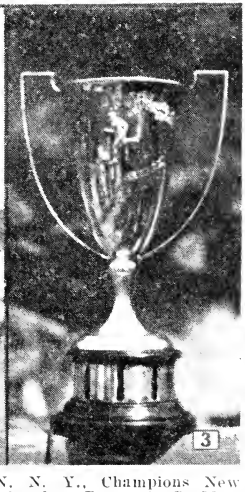
The few grounds placed at the disposal of soccerites by the city are quickly snapped up. They are not, however, by any means perfect. The season is already under way before the clubs can use them, and each year these grounds have been taken from us before the schedules were completed.

As an instance of the seriousness of the grounds question, I may mention that the Metropolitan and District Junior Football League, with seventeen clubs, has only two grounds left on which to finish its schedule, with the result that it could not determine the winner and runner-up of its A Division until July 3. Notwithstanding this great difficulty, each year finds the juniors enthusiastically waiting for the resumption of hostilities.

Season 1921-22 brought quite a number of newcomers to the roster of organized football. An interesting feature was the formation of four new clubs amongst the Spanish colony in this city. The Scandinavian section also came into prominence with a league of five clubs, four of them in this territory. If the native-born boys were half as enthusiastic as the foregoing, football in the greatest American city would have a wonderful boom.

The two cup competitions of our association have been most successful. The Qualifying Cup play has shown the wisdom of its sponsors. It had its usual sixteen entries, and a right doughty struggle it proved. The winners surprised all but a few of the knowing ones. Centro Hispano, formed in July, 1921, was easily the best club in the competition and well deserved its victory. Exclusively of Latin origin, its members played football of a superior brand. When they beat Catholic Club in the final, 5—1, after a drawn game, 2—2, no one begrudged them the victory. In passing, I might say that this victory was the principal reason for the formation of two more Spanish clubs, which are to start competition during the coming season.

The Challenge Cup had 12 entries and its conclusion saw the consummation of a long-cherished dream of Manhattan fans. The finalists were New York and Todd, and at New York Oval, on April 30, the record crowd for our competitions saw Hugh Magee's warriors win a glorious victory. Beating the National runners-up by 3—0 was surely a feather in the cap of the Harlemites.



(1) BROOKLYN FOOTBALL CLUB, BROOKLYN, N. Y., Champions New York State Association Football League. 1, J. Eckersley, Pres.; 2, G. Massey, Mgr.; 3, J. Graham, Asst. Trainer; 4, Cameron; 5, McGarrachie; 6, Wands; 7, McCann; 8, Adamson; 9, Gallagher; 10, Dr. Tinniswood; 11, Ross; 12, Porter; 13, Whalen; 14, J. Armstrong, Sec.; 15, Garside; 16, McDonald; 17, Rew; 18, R. McChesnie, Capt.; 19, Crann. (2) NEW YORK STATE CUP FINAL, NEW YORK vs. TODDS.—Critical moment in above contest; McKenna (Todds) secures possession of ball after fruitless tackle by Herd of New York (N. Y. Oval, April 30, 1922). (3) NEW YORK STATE CUP; Winners, 1921-22, New York Football Club.

The financial return from both these competitions was the best in the history of the association.

At the annual meeting in June, the election of officers for Season 1922-23 saw most of the executives re-elected. Thus the leaders have a good hold on the situation for the coming season, and expect to make it the greatest of all since our formation. The meeting was made memorable by the presentation to our President of a ring as a token of appreciation of his service to the association and to football in general. Results of competitions were as follows:

QUALIFYING CUP.

FIRST ROUND—Fulton 0, Franco-Swiss 1; Hebrew Sport 0, Brooklyn St. George 1; Steinway B 1—1, Brooklyn Rangers 1—0; Nassau Rovers 2—3, Glen Cove 2—0; Centro Gallego 2, Sone & Fleming 1; Catholic Club 6, Brittanic 0; Tyrconnell Celts 1—1, Calpe Americans 1—0; Centro Hispano 5—3, Favorite 3—1. SECOND ROUND—Centro Gallego 1—0, Steinway B 1—7; Franco-Swiss 0—0, Catholic Club 0—2; Nassau Rovers 1, Tyrconnell Celts 2; Centro Hispano 6, Brooklyn St. George 1. SEMI-FINALS—Centro Hispano 4, Tyrconnell Celts 2; Catholic Club 3, Steinway B 1. FINAL—Centro Hispano 2—5, Catholic Club 2—1.

CHALLENGE CUP.

PRELIMINARY ROUND—Greenpoint 1, Bay Ridge Strollers 0; St. George 0, Brooklyn 6; Yonkers 2, Steinway A 3; Bay Ridge 3, Viking 2. FIRST ROUND—New York 4, Bay Ridge 1; Todd 5, Greenpoint 2; Brooklyn 4, Steinway A 1; Catholic Club 0, Centro Hispano 1. SEMI-FINALS—New York 5, Centro Hispano 3; Todd 2, Brooklyn 0. FINAL—New York 3, Todd 0.

NEW YORK STATE ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL LEAGUE.

(Affiliated with the Southern New York State Football Association.)
President, James Jackson; Vice-President, Edwin Newman; Secretary and Treasurer, James Armstrong, 2410 Van Cortland Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

BY JAMES ARMSTRONG.

The season 1921-22 showed a marked advance by the State League towards the numerical strength of its pre-war days. In 1920-21 the league had but seven clubs while during the past season the membership reached fifteen and the prospects for the coming season are that many more clubs will be added to the league's roster, as four new clubs already have made application for admission. It appears the league is on the verge of equalling the strength of its palmy days when it numbered twenty-two to twenty-four clubs.

Last season saw the resumption, after many years, of the famous Interborough Series. Manhattan defeated Brooklyn by 1 goal to 0 at New York Oval on Sunday, July 8, before a large crowd. The football displayed throughout the season was of a high grade, as the personnel of at least five of the teams in the first division was freely sprinkled with well known stars. Brooklyn F.C., known in former years as the Longfellow F.C., played a consistent brand of football, proved superior to all its rivals and finished the season with only one defeat registered against it.

The race for second place was keenly contested and the Steinway F.C. had to register the only defeat Brooklyn suffered in order to clinch second position. The La Sultana Cup was also annexed by Brooklyn. This club was made the favorite in this competition after its splendid league performance and it ran true to form, defeating the strong Bay Ridge F.C., only after a scoreless tie in the first final, the replayed final resulting in a victory for Brooklyn by 5 goals to 2.

The second division of the league developed three teams of almost equal strength. Sone & Fleming F.C. and the Bay Ridge Strollers ended the regular campaign deadlocked for first place and the Norwegian Turnverein

(1) IRELAND'S INTERNATIONAL TEAM—1, McNeill; 2, Donnelly; 3, Black; 4, Tracy, Co. Mgr.; 5, Costello; 6, Newburn; 7, Gallagher; 8, Coyle; 9, Timbey; 10, Creighton, Co. Mgr.; 11, Mooney; 12, Gibson; 13, Bustard; 14, O'Halloran; 15, Coleman. (2) CONTINENTAL'S INTERNATIONAL TEAM—1, Diminine; 2, Van Den Eynden; 3, Darby; 4, Ferro, Mgr.; 5, Soidy; 6, Costa; 7, Vandeweghe; 8, Palmero, Asst. Mgr.; 9, Alecio; 10, Prinz; 11, Bleich; 12, Mana. (3) SWITZERLAND'S INTERNATIONAL TEAM—1, Kaufmann, Mgr.; 2, Glasser; 3, Bolleter; 4, Rechsteiner; 5, Freiberg; 6, Schmid; 7, Howald; 8, Zimmerman; 9, Guggenbuehle; 10, Hunziker, Capt.; 11, Fischer; 12, Muhlestein. (4) SPAIN'S INTERNATIONAL TEAM—1, Rodrigues, Mgr.; 2, Rosabal; 3, Montes; 4, Cardona; 5, Ozorez; 6, Plaja; 7, Gonzales; 8, Urizar; 9, Perez; 10, Solano; 11, Blanco; 12, Caravaglio.

finished two points behind them. This necessitated a play-off to decide the winner and the extra game ended in a tie, making necessary another game which was eventually won by Sone & Fleming, by 3 goals to 1. Standing:

FIRST DIVISION.

	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.		W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Brooklyn	12	2	1	40	16	26	Viking	6	2	8	34	33	14
Steinway	10	3	3	29	21	23	St. George	4	4	5	22	27	12
Yonkers	7	4	3	22	17	18	Paterson	4	2	10	10	18	10
Carlton Hill	8	2	5	29	27	18	Greenpoint	0	0	16	9	33	0
Bay Ridge	8	1	6	21	23	17							

SECOND DIVISION.

Sone & Fleming	8	3	1	33	8	19	Red Star*	4	1	5	17	8	9
Bay Ridge Strol.	7	3	2	19	13	17	Glendale	1	0	9	3	56	2
Norwegian	7	1	2	45	6	15	Brittanic	1	0	9	10	36	2

* 4 points deducted for playing ineligible men.

LA SULTANA CUP.

FIRST ROUND—Vikings 5, Strollers 1; Norwegians 4, Red Star 2; Brooklyn 15, Brittanic 0; Bay Ridge 2, Carlton Hill 1; Greenpoint 2, Sone & Fleming 0; Yonkers 2, Paterson 0; St. George 10, Glendale 2; Steinway 2, Catholic Club 1. SECOND ROUND—Brooklyn 6, Norwegian 2; St. George 2, Greenpoint 1; Steinway 3, Vikings 2; Bay Ridge 3, Yonkers 2. SEMI-FINAL ROUND—Brooklyn 7, St. George 1; Bay Ridge 1, Steinway 0. FINAL—Brooklyn 0—5, Bay Ridge 0—2.

NEW YORK FOOTBALLERS' PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION.

Honorary President, Frederic R. Smith; President-Treasurer, Thomas Bagnall; Vice-President, Charles Treacy; Secretary, John R. Robbs, 1486 Third Avenue, New York; Executive Committee—J. Weightman, Thomas O'Brien, M. Rodriguez, J. Buddie, W. Hollywood, J. McGuinness, C. E. Creighton, J. Armstrong, W. Reid, J. Thomson, J. Ryan, E. Newman, J. O'Shea, Thomas Waldron, S. Day, J. Hayes. Delegate to the S.N.Y.S.F.A., John R. Robbs; Alternate, H. McVey. Chairmen International Committees: America, Thomas Waldron; Continent, C. Ferro; England, J. Weightman; Ireland, C. Treacy and C. E. Creighton; Scotland, W. Reid; Sweden, E. Viberg; Spain, M. Rodriguez; Switzerland, J. Kaufmann.

By John R. Robbs.

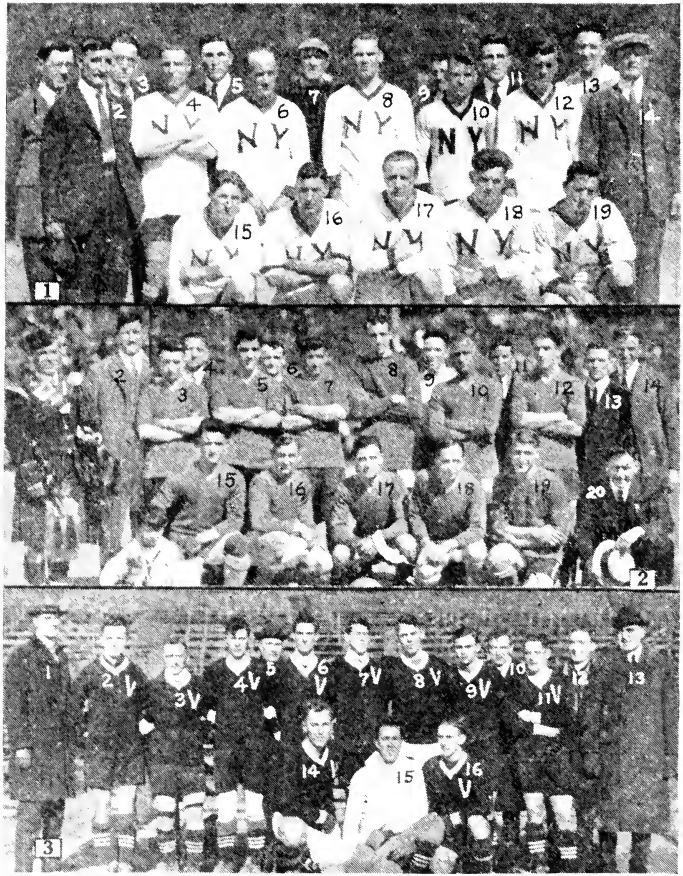
The New York Footballers' Protective Association for the sixth successive year under the leadership of President Bagnall, finished its tenth season which was financially one of the best. The "international" series, from which the association derives most of its revenue necessary to carry on its work, was successful from a financial and playing point of view. England again won the championship which now stands: America 2, Ireland 2, England 3, Scotland 3—a situation which should add to the interest when those representative teams next meet in the series.

The association has grown in membership during the past season to 416 from 278 the season before, and disbursed in accident benefits during 1921-22 the sum of $703 to thirty-three members who were disabled on the field of play and who were unable to follow their employment on account of this disability.

N.Y.F.P.A. "INTERNATIONAL" SERIES.

SCOTLAND vs. AMERICA.

The United States soccer eleven, minus several stars, was beaten 4 goals to 1 by Scotland, on New Years Day, 1922, at New York Oval, with the temperature 10 degrees above zero and a biting wind blowing down the field.



(1) ENGLAND'S INTERNATIONAL TEAM, Winners New York Footballers' Protective Association International Series, Season 1921-22—1, Armstrong; 2, Duggan; 3, Robbs; 4, Page; 5, Stephens; 6, Pepper; 7, Healey; 8, Fryer; 9, Burroughs; 10, Butterworth; 11, Whalen; 12, Whitehead; 13, McGuiness, Trainer; 14, Weightman, Mgr.; 15, Duggan; 16, Morley; 17, Brittain; 18, Shaw; 19, Andrews. (2) SCOTLAND'S INTERNATIONAL TEAM, Runner-up New York Footballers' Protective Association International Series, Season 1921-22.—1, Campbell; 2, Reid, Mgr.; 3, Kelly; 4, Smith; 5, Stark; 6, Buddie; 7, Philps; 8, Kesson; 9, McGuiness, Trainer; 10, Ferguson; 11, McVey; 12, Herd; 13, McDonald; 14, Hollywood; 15, McKenna; 16, McGuire; 17, Stark; 18, Hosie; 19, Stradan; 20, Thomson; 21, J. Buddie, Jr. (3) SWEDEN'S INTERNATIONAL TEAM.—1, Hagstrom, Asst. Mgr.; 2, Peterson; 3, Ekstrom; 4, Gustafson; 5, C. Olson, Trainer; 6, Larson; 7, Koist; 8, Nyman; 9, Hirsch; 10, Tilly; 11, Lindgren; 12, Hanson; 13, E. Viberg, Mgr.; 14, W. Adamson, Capt.; 15, Erlanson, 16, Norling.

America (1).	Positions.	Scotland (4).
Snable	Goal	Kesson
Bunn	Right Full-back	Bell
Quinn	Left Full-back	McIlwraith
McDonald	Right Half-back	J. McDonald
Daley	Center Half-back	Philp
Mulcahy	Left Half-back	Cameron
Newman	Outside Right	Jas. McDonald
Sherlock	Inside Right	S. McDonald
Chadwick	Center Forward	Fitzpatrick
Brown	Inside Left	McChesnie
Rogers	Outside Left	Stradan

Goals—Stradan, S. McDonald, Fitzpatrick, McChesnie, Scotland; Rogers, America. Referee—C. Stott. Linesmen—W. Williams, Joseph Cunningham.

SWEDEN vs. SPAIN.

In the match between Sweden and Spain, played at New York Oval, New Year's Day, 1922, after a no-scoring first period, Sweden eliminated Spain by 4 goals to 1. The Spaniards started out with great impetuosity and Ozorez, their outside left, shot the first goal of the game, after ten minutes of play. The greater experience of the Swedes, however, told eventually in their favor.

Sweden (4).	Position.	Spain (1).
Erlandson	Goal	Caravaglio
Adamson	Right Full-back	Cardona
Norling	Left Full-back	Montes
Ekstrom	Right Half-back	Gonzalez
Nyman	Center Half-back	Perez
Hirsch	Left Half-back	Blanco
Peterson	Outside Right	Solano
Gustafson	Inside Right	Plaja
Larson	Center Forward	Urizar
Kvist	Inside Left	Rosabel
Lindgren	Outside Left	Ozorez

Goals—Hirsch, Larsen (2), Peterson for Sweden; Ozorez for Spain. Referee—W. Williams. Linesmen—J. Cunningham, W. Campbell.

ENGLAND vs. SWITZERLAND.

England and Ireland advanced in the "International" competition by eliminating Switzerland and Continentals, respectively. The game between England and Switzerland, was the first of a double header at New York Oval on Washington's Birthday, 1922, England winning handily by 5 goals to 2. The Swiss scored first when five minutes after the start Hunziker outwitted the English defense and placed the ball between the uprights. Duggan equalized two minutes later and near half time Andrews gave England a 2 to 1 lead. Duggan shot two more goals in the second period and Hicks further increased the English total. Hunziker again scored for Switzerland.

England (5).	Positions.	Switzerland (2).
Highfield	Goal	Freiberg
Butterworth	Right Full-back	Schmid
Page	Left Full-back	Glasser
Matthews	Right Half-back	Howald
Stephens	Center Half-back	Recksteiner
Whalen	Left Half-back	Bolleter
Duggan	Outside Right	Muhrstein
Pepper	Inside Right	Fischer
Reid	Center Forward	Hunziker
Hicks	Inside Left	Guggenbuchle
Andrews	Outside Left	Zimmermann

Goals—Duggan (3), Hicks (2) for England; Hunziker (2) for Switzerland. Referee—Thomas Cunningham. Linesmen—Messrs. De Groof and Mitchell.

IRELAND vs. CONTINENTALS.

Throughout the first period of the match between Ireland and the Continentals the struggle was fairly even, but Ireland took the lead after ten minutes of play, when Mooney plunged through the Continentals' backs' division and scored from a mixup. When ends were changed Ireland was leading by 1—0. Soon after the restart, following a brilliant save by goalkeeper Ferro, O'Halloran placed Ireland two points up. Black, off a pass by Coleman, made it 3 to 0. Soon Mooney scored again for Ireland, and eight minutes later Bleich shot the one tally scored by the Continentals. Gibson made it 5 for Ireland three minutes later.

Ireland (5).	Positions.	Continentals (1).
Costello	Goal	Ferro
McNeill	Right Full-back	Darby
Newburn	Left Full-back	Costa
Donnelly	Right Half-back	Vandeweghe
Bustard	Center Half-back	Van den Eynden
Coyle	Left Half-back	Soidy
Gibson	Outside Right	Dinnini
Mooney	Inside Right	Alecio
Black	Center Forward	Bleich
O'Halloran	Inside Left	Prinz
Coleman	Outside Left	Mana

Goals—Mooney (2), O'Halloran, Black, Gibson, for Ireland; Bleich, for Continentals. Referee—C. Stott; Linesmen, James Hayes and J. Masterson.

IRELAND vs. SCOTLAND.

At New York Oval, Sunday, May 14, in the semi-final round, Scotland, showing better team combination among the forwards, defeated Ireland by 5 goals to 3 in one semi-final and thereby earned the right to meet the winner of the England vs. Sweden semi-final.

Ireland (3).	Positions.	Scotland (5).
Costello	Goal	Kesson
O'Halloran	Right Full-back	Kelly
Newburn	Left Full-back	Ferguson
Kane	Right Half-back	T. Stark
Bustard	Center Half-back	Philp
Corduer	Left Half-back	Herd
Curran	Outside Right	McKenna
Mooney	Inside Right	McGuire
Black	Center Forward	A. Stark
Moran	Inside Left	McChesnie
Coleman	Outside Left	Stradan

Goals—A. Stark (3), T. Stark (2), for Scotland; Moran, Mooney (2), for Ireland. Referee, W. Williams. Linesmen, G. Caldicott and C. Stott.

ENGLAND vs. SWEDEN.

An eleven representative of England proved itself capable of competing against the best that can be stacked up against them by defeating Sweden 6 goals to 1 at New York Oval, Sunday, May 21, in the semi-final round. At the end of the first half England led by 4—0. A few minutes after the restart Rew scored once more off a pass by Shaw. Fryer headed in the sixth goal off a pass by Andrews. With four minutes to play Kvist scored for Sweden.

England (6).	Position.	Sweden (1).
Healey	Goal	Ostman
Page	Right Full back	Norling
Whitehead	Left Full-back	Sundberg
Matthews	Right Half-back	Nordin
Fryer	Center Half-back	Larson
Whalen	Left Half-back	Ekstrom
Duggan	Outside Right	Peterson
Hayes	Inside Right	Prangvist
Rew	Center Forward	Gustavson
Shaw	Inside Left	Kvist
Andrews	Outside Left	Hirsch

Goals—Fryer (2), Rew (4), for England; Kvist (1), for Sweden. Referee, J. Masterson; Linesmen, James Cunningham and Joseph Cunningham.

ENGLAND vs. SCOTLAND.

For the second year in succession England won the annual "International" competition by defeating Scotland in the final round at New York Oval, Sunday, May 28, by the score of 3 goals to 1. The Scotch team, which showed up bravely in the first half and had established a 1—0 lead before ends were changed, was a disappointment in the second period. Two penalties, one in the first two minutes and another twenty minutes later, gave England the upper hand. The one-sided aspect of the final score was due to a couple of points earned through bursts of speed on the part of the English forwards in the last five minutes of the game.

England (3).	Positions.	Scotland (1).
Healey	Goal	Kesson
Page	Right Full-back	Kelly
Whitehead	Left Full-back	Ferguson
Pepper	Right Half-back	T. Stark
Fryer	Center Half-back	Philp
Butterworth	Left Half-back	Herd
Duggan	Outside Right	McKenna
Morley	Inside Right	McGuire
Brittain	Center Forward	A. Stark
Shaw	Inside Left	Hosir
Andrews	Outside Left	Stradan

Goals—Brittain (2), Duggan, for England; Stradan, for Scotland. Referee, Thomas Cunningham; Linesmen, C. E. Creighton and F. De Groof.

NEW YORK FOOTBALL CLUB.

By Hugh Magee.

New York Football Club, which since the last season has switched to the name, New York Soccer Club, had a highly gratifying year 1921-22. The team won the New York State Cup Competition, defeating Todd Shipyards F.C., runners-up to the national champion Scullin Steel F.C. of St. Louis, by 3 goals to 0 in the final, and was runner-up to the great Philadelphia Football Club in the hot race for the first American Soccer League pennant.

The team which finished the season under New York's colors was one of the finest kicking machines ever assembled in the United States, but owing to a rather faltering beginning of the season, and various "breaks" which went against the club, it had a wide gap to close in the later stages of the league campaign. Had the season gone a few weeks beyond where it did, New York would undoubtedly have overtaken the Quakers.

It was not until the turn of the year that New York began to show consistently its full strength and it had, ere this, suffered elimination from the

national championships, losing 5—3 to Todd's in the third round of the blue ribbon series of the soccer year.

In 38 games played, in league, national and state cup exhibitions, New York won 24 games, lost 7, tied 7, and scored 112 goals to 61 for its opponents. The complete record of the team for the 1921-22 season is as follows:

RECORD OF NEW YORK F.C.

Champions of New York State—Season 1921-1922.

Opposing Club.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Opposing Club.	Goals F.	Goals A.
Brooklyn Hibs ‡	2	0	Falcos	3	2
Harrison	2	2	Philadelphia	3	1
Celtic	6	2	Harrison	1	1
Philadelphia	1	2	Harrison	5	2
J. & P. Coats	0	2	Fall River	6	1
Philadelphia	3	3	Todd	4	3
Catholic Club *	7	0	Harrison	3	1
J. & P. Coats	0	1	Fall River	0	2
Fall River	6	1	Bay Ridge †	4	1
Fall River	2	1	Philadelphia	3	2
Falcos	0	0	J. & P. Coats	3	2
Fairhill *	5	1	Todd	2	2
Philadelphia ‡	1	8	Philadelphia ‡	2	2
Todd	3	0	Centro Hispano †	5	3
Falcos	4	0	Philadelphia ‡	2	1
Brooklyn ‡	1	1	Baltimore ‡	6	2
Todd *	3	5	Todd †	3	0
Todd	1	2	Met. League ‡	6	2
J. & P. Coats	1	0	Falcos	3	0

* N.C.C. † S.N.Y.S. Cup. ‡ Exhibition. All others A.S.L. contests.

Goal scorers—A. Stark 23, Hardy 19, Duggan 15, Burnett 14, T. Stark 9, Andrews 8, Cooper 4, Meyerdicks 4, Rooney 4, Herd 3, Hunzicker 3, Bleich 2, Kelly 2, Philip 2, Page 1.

SOCCER IN NORTHWESTERN NEW YORK.

By James McKinlay, Sr.,

President Northwestern New York State Football Association.

President, James McKinlay, Sr.; Vice-Presidents, Richard Mutrie, Arthur Hornell; Secretary, James McKinlay, Jr.; Financial Secretary, Leigh Rife; Treasurer, Arthur J. Baker; Delegate-at-Large, Alexander Webster.

Soccer in the district, which comprises the territory known officially as the Northwestern New York State Football Association, was carried along in good shape in the season of 1921-22. Continued improvements in the rules governing the affiliated clubs and leagues have developed such a thorough understanding among players, clubs, and leagues affiliated with this association that very few violations had to be dealt with, in fact only one violation occurred during the playing season.

Soccer is greatly hampered by the lack of suitable playing fields in this locality. Not one of the clubs affiliated with this association can boast of a first class enclosure, although some of the clubs operate on fields that are semi-enclosed. This is a situation that needs a remedy, but few of the clubs in the Northwestern New York district have the capital to go into an enterprise, such as buying a suitable ground. This is being given serious consideration by the clubs and the situation may be alleviated shortly.

One obstacle which blocks the path leading to harmony is the stand taken by two Niagara Falls clubs who were formerly affiliated with this associa-

tion. The two clubs, Niagara Falls Wanderers and MacKenzies, continue to play in the St. Catherines and District League of Ontario, Canada, without being affiliated with this State Association. There is a loophole in the laws governing the relation of the Dominion Football Association and the United States Football Association, which may be termed a "leak" hole, and it needs to be plugged up. If a team playing on the Canadian border and domiciled in the United States can jump from the American Association to the Canadian Association without being affiliated to the American Association, is this not a case that should be classed as "outlawry"?

Suppose that team may be suspended by the State Association in the United States, there is nothing under the sun to stop this team or teams from playing in Canada and laughing up its sleeves at the U.S.F.A. or its affiliated bodies. This is a problem that has been giving the officers of the Northwestern New York State Football Association considerable anxiety for the past few seasons, and it is one that the officers would like to see settled once and for all time.

There is a possibility of such a movement meeting with success. The worthy President of the United States Football Association, George Healey, is trying to arrange a "peace conference" between the Michigan State Football Association, the Ontario Football Association and the Northwestern New York State Football Association, to be held in London, Ontario, in the near future. Before the 1922-23 season ends it is confidently predicted that this question will be definitely settled.

The Challenge Cup Competition of 1921 was a success, viewed from every angle. Some surprises were caused in the early rounds, but the older teams withstood the attack and in the semi-finals the following teams met each other. The Rochester Celtic had to travel to Sherrill, where it met the Community Associated Club of that place. The result was a tie. The Rochester Moose had the Swedish Gymnastic Club as its visitor, and while the latter were the favorites they were badly beaten, although the game was a fast encounter. In the replay, between the Celtic and the C.A.C., the former won, and for the first time since the Northwestern New York State Challenge Cup was inaugurated two Rochester teams met in the final.

The games committee of the association selected the Bausch and Lomb athletic field as the scene of activities and a record attendance witnessed the contest. The game was fast and was well worth seeing. When the final whistle had been blown by Referee Muirhead of Syracuse, the Moose were on the edge of a 4 to 1 score. The Celtic protested the game on the grounds that the Moose had played an ineligible player. The protest was sustained and the games committee ordered the game replayed on the same field. One change occurred, Jack Ackroyd was the official in charge when the teams lined up. The game was very closely contested and was enjoyed by a large crowd. The Moose were not to be outdone, however, and won the cup for the second successive year by a score of 2 goals to 0.

The outlook for the 1922-23 season is very bright and is encouraging to the officials of the State Association. The season of the Northwestern was changed to conform with the season of the U.S.F.A., and this is the first year it goes into effect. Buffalo has again come to the front and three or four teams have developed in that city in the past few months. This is the best news that the officers of the State Association have received in some time. Buffalo and Rochester were always rival cities, and with the "Windy City" again on the soccer map, the game is certain to have a boom in this locality. One of the hardworking officials in this association is Vice-President Arthur Hornell, who resides in Jamestown, in the extreme western part of

(1) HOLLAND FOOTBALL CLUB, ROCHESTER, N. Y.—1, De Jonge; 2, L. Apetz; 3, Mayweson; 4, T. Betlem; 5, Beeke; 6, Corveleyn; 7, J. Betlem; 8, C. Apetz; 9, De Bruyn; 10, Van Zuilekorn; 11, Hagen. (2) ROCHESTER CITY MOOSE, A.F.C. 1920.—Winners Rochester and District League Cup; Winners Northwestern New York State Football Association Challenge Cup; Permanent Holders Prince of Wales Cup. (3) KODAK PARK FOOTBALL CLUB, ROCHESTER, N. Y.

the State. He is manager of the Swedish Gymnastic Club, who won the championship of the Jamestown Association Football League in 1921. The only defeat his team suffered last year was the disastrous game with the Rochester Moose in the semi-finals of the State Challenge Cup. Mr. Hornell has managed to organize a team in Dunkirk, and that team is playing in the Jamestown League.

Continued depression in business is making itself felt in the eastern part of the district. Nothing has been heard of from the territory lying between the cities of Syracuse and Utica for months. The factories in that locality have been working from two to four days a week and the soccer players who lived in that section have gone to parts unknown. Possibly in a few months these teams, six of them in that district, will be under full steam again and giving the others in this association a run for their money.

The Board of Education of the city of Rochester are now represented on the board of the Northwestern New York State Football Association and it is co-operating with the State body. There are forty-two public schools playing soccer football exclusively in Rochester, four junior high schools and six senior high schools, and for the first time the schools will operate under the rules of the United States Football Association. An effort is going to be made to organize a team in the University of Rochester and the ring of schools playing soccer in Rochester will be 100 per cent. We should be proud of this record. Taking all in all, the prospects for the 1922-23 season look to be the most alluring since the inception of the Northwestern New York State Football Association in 1914.

SOCCER FOOTBALL IN ROCHESTER, N. Y.

By James McKinlay, Jr.

President, Edward Allardice; Vice-President, John T. Lythgoe; Financial Secretary, Joseph Burns; Treasurer, James McKinlay, Sr.

The officers of the Rochester and District League are unanimous in concluding that the season of 1921-22 was the best season the league has had since its inception in 1907.

Interest was kept at fever height all through the season and the Celtics, Kodak Parks and the MacNaughton Rangers all led at different times. One of the teams would be perched on top, only to be dethroned, until the final week of the season when the Celtic and the Kodak Park elevens ended in a tie with the MacNaughton Rangers out of the running. This meant an extra game, which was won by the Celtics by 2 goals to 1. It was no disgrace to Kodak Park to lose the championship, although the team felt it keenly. The standing of the clubs at the end of the season was as follows:

Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.	Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Celtic	8	2	0	46	12	16	Moose	4	5	1	20	13	9
Kodak Park	7	1	2	52	8	16	Camera Works	2	6	2	14	40	6
McNn Rangers	5	4	1	24	22	11	Holland	1	9	0	12	52	2

One of the most constructive pieces of legislation that the league passed in the 1921 season was the changing of the season to conform with that of the United States Football Association. Commencing on September 1, 1922, the season will continue until June 30, 1923. This caused a change in the plans of the league and a post-series was arranged for the spring. The President of the Northwestern New York State Football Association came to the rescue of the league and presented a shield trophy, for which

the clubs competed in the post-series. One of the conditions is that the shield would never lie dormant but that it must be played for annually. After a spirited competition the Rochester Moose had the honor of winning it, beating the Kodaks out by one point. It was not until the final game of the season that the winning team was decided. Some very clever soccer was witnessed in this competition and the attendance was larger than during any other spring soccer season in Rochester. The soccer officials were ably helped by the press, which admit that the game has taken a firm hold of the public and that it contains great possibilities for the future.

Forty-two public schools in Rochester are playing soccer exclusively. Four junior high schools and six senior high schools are playing the game in the fall. The high school teams compete in the Rochester and Vicinity League and in 1921 the team representing West High School of Rochester won the honors. West High had a good team and gave the rest of the clubs a battle, but it could not dispose of its old rivals, East High of Rochester, who drew two games with the Westsiders.

The officials of the league predict a very successful season in 1922-23 and some new methods will be introduced to take care of the games, referees, etc.

(1) HARRISON SOCCER CLUB, HARRISON, N. J., New Jersey State Champions—1, McLaughlin; 2, Muir; 3, Spulding; 4, Tintle; 5, Blakey; 6, Post; 7, Wilson; 8, Pepper; 9, Hemingsley; 10, Ford; 11, Brown. (2) AMERICAN A.A.F.C. OF KEARNY, N. J., Champions West Hudson Amateur League—1, Lyman; 2, J. Tintle, Sec.; 3, Graham; 4, Cunningham; 5, Strong; 6, Bunn; 7, P. Kavrick, President; 8, S. Manley, Mgr.; 9, C. Riley, Asst. Sec.; 10, Flynn; 11, Finnerty; 12, Phelan, Capt.; 13, Young; 14, Nugent; 15, Durkin; 16, Hartnett; 17, Coe; 18, Florie.

Soccer in New Jersey

By William J. Patrick.

With the opening of the season 1922-23 the State of New Jersey started out with its greatest number of clubs in organized football since its organization in September, 1913. Its many rises and falls, financially and in the number of clubs, has been watched over with interest throughout the country. It is felt, however, that with no further friction existing amongst club officials and the State officers, 1922-1923 will show as a banner season in what is believed by many to be the original home in America of our coming winter sport.

The election of officers for this season shows Thomas W. Cahill, Secretary of the United States Football Association, as president of the New Jersey State Football Association; William J. Gibson of Carlton Hill, vice-president; James E. Jackson, Paterson, treasurer, and the secretaryship remaining in the hands of William Patrick. The many changes that have occurred in this Association's dealings with clubs is believed to prove the contention of a few that the New Jersey State Football Association was in the past the exponent, if not the pioneer, of the greatest clubs in the country. It is felt that season 1922-23 will put the final stamp of approval on such a contention, and it would surprise none in this State if one of its sixty or seventy clubs finished in the national race for honors.

The cup competitions under the auspices of the State Association, season 1921-1922, were very successful, with the results as follows:

NEW JERSEY QUALIFYING CUP COMPETITION.

PRELIMINARY ROUND—Totowa Rovers 5, Bunker Hill 2; Bayonne Rovers 1, Entre Nous 0; McLean F.C. 2, Maywood 4; Wilberforce 2, Palisades 3; Ryerson 5, National 0; American 6, Lorain 0; Clark 0, Erie 7. FIRST ROUND—American 4, Ryerson 2; Hudson 5, Maywood 1; Cedar Cliff 1, Totowa Rovers 0; Sprague 3, McLeod 2; Standard Bleachery 1, Acheson Harden 0; Pearl 1, Bayonne Rovers 2; Hawthorne 1, Scott 0; Delaware 2, Cyclone 1; Erie 1, Hooper 0; Paterson Thistle 2, Carlton Hill 1; Passaic United 0, Palisades Park 2; N. J. Worsted 1, S. Hird F.C. 1. SECOND ROUND—West New York 2, Paterson Thistle 1; Hawthorne 8, Delaware 0; *Cedar Cliff 1, Garfield F.C. 0; Hudson F.C. 2, Palisades 1; Standard Bleachery 5, N. J. Worsted 2; Sprague 4, Bayonne Rovers 1. THIRD ROUND—Sprague 2, Hudson 1; Erie 1, American 3; Cedar Cliff 3, Standard Bleachery 2; West New York 2, Hawthorne 8. SEMI-FINALS—Sprague 2, American 1; Hawthorne 5, Cedar Cliff 1. FINAL—Sprague 1, Hawthorne 0.

NEW JERSEY STATE CUP COMPETITION.

FIRST ROUND—Standard Bleachery 4, Gera Mills 1; Scot A.A. 1, Delaware 1; **Scott A.A. 1, Delaware 2; Prospects 4, Marion Crescent 3; Totowa Rovers 1, Bunker Hill 0; Maywood Farmers 5, Wilberforce 3; Sprague 3, Pearl F.C. 2; National 3, Atlas 2; *Kearny F.C. 1, Ryerson 0; Entre Nous 3, Hungaria 1; *Paterson Thistle 1, Eastside F.C. 0. SECOND ROUND—Delaware 3, Passaic United 0; *Paterson Thistle 1, Hollandia 0; *Sons of St. George 0, Totowa Rovers 1; Napier F.C. 3, Royal Oak 2; *N. J. Worsted 0, Standard Bleachery 1; Maywood Farmers 0, Hudson 8; Palisades Park 3, Bayonne Rovers 2; *Kearny F.C. 1, Erie A.A. 0; Entre Nous 3, Sprague 1; American 3, National 4. THIRD ROUND—Carlton Hill 4, Delaware 2; Hudson 2, Paterson Thistle 1; *Totowa Rovers 1, Cedar Cliff 0; *Royal Oak 1, Trenton F.C. 0; National 2, Kearny 1; Palisades Park 3, Standard Bleachery 0; Entre Nous 1, Harrison 6; Newark Antlers 3, Babcock & Wilcox 1. FOURTH ROUND—Harrison 7,

*Forfeited. **Replay.

1, T. W. Cahill, Irvington, N. J., President New Jersey State Football Association, 1922-23. 2, William Patrick, Bayonne, N. J., Secretary New Jersey State Football Association, 1922-23. 3, James Campbell, Jersey City, N. J., President Northern New Jersey Amateur Soccer League, Season 1922-23.

Royal Oak 1; Antlers 4, Nationals 0; Palisades Park 2, Hudson 4; Carlton Hill 1, Totowa Rovers 2. SEMI-FINALS—Antler F.C. 2, Totowa Rovers 1; Harrison 7, Hudson 1. FINAL—Harrison F.C. 2, Antler F.C. 0.

PASSAIC FACTORY AMATEUR LEAGUE.

BY WILLIAM H. MCLEOD.

President, Andrew J. Gibson; Vice-Presidents, Charles Ward, John Liddell, James Morrison; Treasurer, James Dynes; Delegate to N.J.S.F.A., William L. Cameron; Secretary, William H. McLeod, 243 Passaic Avenue, Clifton, N. J.

The Passaic Factory Amateur Soccer League in 1921-22 had one of the most successful seasons on record. The league has brought out some notable footballers. Playing with Passaic United, Scott F.C. and McLean F.C. are men who have headed some of the best teams in Passaic County.

Since it was formed in 1919, the league has included factories such as Manhattan Rubber Co., R. & J. Dicks, Standard Bleachery, Okonite, New York Bolt, Athenia Steel, Samuel Bird & Son, and Acheson Harden. The Manhattan Rubber Company team won the championship that first season, going through all opposition, and winning from Standard Bleachery in a downpour of rain. Cups and medals were presented at the Brighton Mills Auditorium.

In the year 1920-21 the Factory League attained additional success. Athenia Steel won the championship after going through a hard season.

The last season was not a financial success on account of labor trouble and bad weather, but the quality of soccer was high. The Standard Bleachery team had hard luck. It was thought it would win the championship, but Athenia Steel just beat them out after a fine battle. Thus the Athenia Steel F.C. was crowned champion for the second time.

AMERICAN A.A. OF HARRISON, N. J.

The American A.A. club of Harrison, N. J., has proved itself one of the fastest and cleverest amateur teams ever organized in the state. The team has won the title in every league it has entered in the last six years. Winning the Northern New Jersey League championship the first two years the club was organized, in 1916-1917 and 1917-1918, the American A.A. entered the West Hudson Amateur Soccer League in 1918 and won the championship two years in succession.

In the beginning of the season 1920-21 the Newark *Morning Ledger* donated a handsome cup to the West Hudson Amateur Soccer League, and it was stipulated that the club winning the league title two years in succession should have permanent possession.

The American A.A. entered the league once more and came through like regular champions in 1920-1921 and repeating in 1921-1922, thereby winning the cup and also two sets of gold medals.

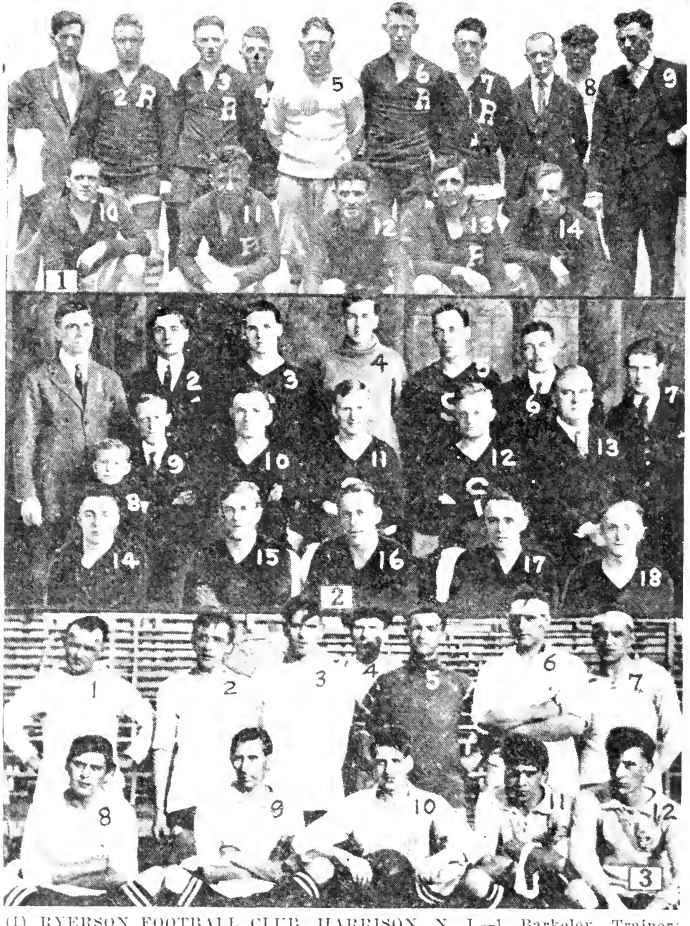
Record of goals scored by American A.A. players is as follows: J. Graham 1, R. Porter 2, P. Finnerty 5, T. Nugent 1, T. Florie 10, T. Strong 1, T. Hartnett 22, J. Durkin 19, W. McCullum 4, C. Riley 2; total 67. Club totals—League: For 49, against 27. Cup: For 18, against 11.

WEST HUDSON AMATEUR LEAGUE.

FINAL STANDING.

Club.	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.	Club.	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
American A.A.	14	9	1	4	22	Clark O.N.T.	12	4	8	0	8
Ryerson F.C.	14	10	2	2	22	Hooper F.C.	12	2	9	1	5
National F.C.	14	10	2	2	22	Kearny F.C.	13	1	11	1	3
Erie A.A.	14	9	3	2	20	Lorraine F.C.	11	0	9	2	2

Play-off for first, second and third places: American A.A. 4, National F.C. 2; American A.A. 2, Ryerson F.C. 2; American A.A. 2, Ryerson F.C. 1.



(1) RYERSON FOOTBALL CLUB, HARRISON, N. J.—1, Barkeley, Trainer; 2, Agle; 3, G. Ingram; 4, Fisher; 5, Snable; 6, Douglas; 7, Sharkey; 8, J. Ingram, Pres.; 9, H. Brierly, Mgr.; 10, Alexander; 11, L. Brierley; 12, T. Ingram; 13, Sprowson; 14, Allan. (2) SPRAGUE FOOTBALL CLUB, BLOOMFIELD, N. J., Winners of New Jersey Qualifying Cup Competition, 1921-22—1, W. Murphy, Trainer; 2, P. Chambers, Mgr.; 3, Unsworth; 4, Lee; 5, Billingham; 6, W. Hayes, Pres.; 7, Wilson; 8, Billingham, Mascot; 9, Lord; 10, O'Neil; 11, Smyth; 12, Crompton; 13, L. Lee, Sec.; 14, Macbay; 15, Ward; 16, J. Lee; 17, Largey; 18, Vanes. (3) CYCLONE FOOTBALL CLUB, WEST HOBOKEN, N. J.—1, J. Weinrich, Mgr.; 2, Haemmerle, Sec.; 3, Buffatto; 4, Linkston; 5, Colonga; 6, J. Streff, Capt.; 7, Streff; 8, Riedl; 9, Anderson; 10, McCrumm; 11, H. Haemmerle; 12, A. Haemmerle.

NORTHERN NEW JERSEY AMATEUR SOCCER LEAGUE.

President, William Kiedel, Fairview; Vice-President, H. Tattersall, Passaic; Treasurer, A. Hammerle, Union Hill; Secretary, William C. Duncan, Palisades Park, N. J.

By William C. Duncan.

The past season of the Northern New Jersey Amateur Soccer League was very successful and interesting, and a great deal of enthusiasm was shown by all clubs. This league composed of ten clubs, ranging from Jersey City as far as Paterson, was one of the biggest in New Jersey, and for the success of its first year as a league and member of the State Association, a great deal of credit is due its officers and clubs. Bad weather interfered greatly with the schedule, and being a ten club league, when the month of May found the league far behind in its schedule, it was arranged for a play-off for top honors among the three leading clubs, the remainder not being in position to gain any further advantage. The Hudson F.C., Scott A.A. and Hawthorne United F.C. played for the honors, the Hudsons capturing the League title and Hawthorne United qualified as runners up, Scott A.A. taking third place. A glance at the record of the Hudsons shows a creditable average for this club, it having lost only three goals all season. This year the league schedule will start at an earlier date, so as to allow for bad weather or any other conditions that may interfere with the games. The league is greatly indebted to Mr. T. W. Cahill for the assistance he has given, in the form of advice and other benefits of his experience. He did not miss a League meeting all year, and his guiding hand has been in large part responsible for our successful season.

LEAGUE STANDING.

Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.	Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Hudsons	10	1	1	34	3	21	Wilberforce	5	7	2	19	24	12
Hawth'e Un'd.	11	2	4	36	11	*22	McLean F.C.	4	5	0	21	20	8
Scott A.A.	12	2	1	41	16	*25	Maywoods	3	11	1	21	49	7
Palisades Park	6	6	1	27	15	13	Delawares	2	8	0	11	27	4
Passaic United.	6	7	0	21	24	12	Cyclones	2	11	0	11	51	4

*Hawthorne United qualified as runner-up in play-off for title.

RYERSON FOOTBALL CLUB, KEARNY, N. J.

Record for the season of 1921-22 was: won 12, lost 3, tied 4. The "biggest game of the year" was that between the married men and the single men, the former winning, 9—1.

STATE CLUB GAMES—5, Nationals 0; 0, Americans 3. LEAGUE GAMES—1, Nationals 3; 3, Hoopers 0; 3, Lorrains 0; 2, Clarks 1; 3, Kearnys 1; 2, Eries 2; 2, Americans 2. SECOND ROUND—3, Hoopers 1; 3, Lorrains 0; 1, Nationals 0 (forfeit); 5, Clarks 0; 3, Kearnys 1; 3, Eries 1; 2, Americans 2; 2, Americans 2; 1, Americans 2. PRACTICE GAME—4, Clarks 0.

(1) PALISADES PARK (N. J.) FOOTBALL CLUB—1, Small, Trainer; 2, Owens; 3, Peters; 4, Suttle; 5, Koss; 6, Stone; 7, Taffero; 8, Duncan; 9, Collins; 10, Rodda; 11, Brown; 12, Hoskins, Mgr.; 13, Master Duncan, Mascot. (2) HAWTHORNE-UNITED—1, Gailey; 2, White; 3, Green; 4, Wigglesworth, Mgr.; 5, Robertson; 6, Michlentz; 7, F. O'Neill, Coach; 8, Turner; 9, Neil; 10, Hill; 11, Norton; 12, Turner. (3) NORTHERN NEW JERSEY AMATEUR LEAGUE PICKED TEAM. (4) PATERSON (N. J.) AMATEUR LEAGUE PICKED TEAM. (5) MAYWOOD FARMERS, FAIRVIEW, N. J.—1, Reiman; 2, Sedore; 3, Harbison; 4, Vialon, Mgr.; 5, Robinson; 6, Kiedel; 7, Burger; 8, Block; 9, Burger; 10, McLuggage, Capt.; 11, Meisch; 12, Zehnbauer.

Southern New England Football Association

President, John Waldron, New Bedford; First Vice-President, Tom Lloyd, New Bedford; Second Vice-President, Henry S. Bingham, Providence; Third Vice-President, Harold Crook, Fall River; Secretary, George Ritchie, Providence; Treasurer, John A. Fernley, Pawtucket; Delegate to the U.S.F.A., Herbert F. Murray, Providence; Alternate Delegate, George Ritchie, Providence.

By George Ritchie.

The Southern New England Football Association made wonderful progress during the season 1921-22, gaining thirty members over the previous season, making a total of ninety-seven clubs affiliated. Plans are being made to surpass this record.

The Murphys F.C. of Fall River, Mass., won the senior championship by defeating the Sayles Finishing Plants F.C. in the final of the Times Cup Competition by 1 goal to 0, before a large crowd.

The Pocasset Rovers of Thornton, R. I., won the junior championship by defeating the Taft A.C. in the final of the Guy Norman Cup Competition, by 3 goals to 1.

The standings in the various leagues and competition results follow:

NEW BEDFORD INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE.

DIVISION A.

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.		W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Acushnet-Hath.	18	2	0	70	13	36	New Bed. Cot.	8	10	0	39	58	16
Dartmouth	16	3	1	85	21	33	Nashawena	6	11	1	37	44	13
Whitman	14	2	3	77	12	31	Holmes	3	15	1	19	38	7
Butler	7	9	2	25	22	16	Atlas Tack	0	20	0	14	150	0

DIVISION B.

Gosnold	16	0	4	70	13	36	M. T. Drill	6	7	2	22	24	14
Pierce	15	2	2	65	12	32	F. E. Earle	3	13	2	14	49	8
Booth	11	2	4	32	7	26	Nat. Sew. Silk	2	16	2	7	67	6
Wamsutta	7	8	3	26	29	17	Potomska	2	12	1	11	35	5

B. B. & R. KNIGHT LEAGUE.

Arctic	13	1	1	30	10	27	Pontiac	4	10	1	14	20	9
Centreville	12	2	1	29	14	25	Valley Queen	2	12	1	15	25	5
Riverpoint	10	5	0	35	9	20	Natick	1	12	2	10	29	4

NEW BEDFORD JUNIOR INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE.

Dartmouth	16	1	3	36	9	35	Holmes	5	9	6	26	18	16
Quissett	14	3	3	33	12	31	Acushnet-Hath.	5	12	3	24	23	13
Gosnold	11	4	3	45	16	26	Beacon	5	12	3	21	32	13
Nonquit	9	4	5	32	15	23	Nashawena	5	13	2	16	33	12
Butler	8	4	7	24	32	23	Potomska	5	12	2	17	50	12
Whitman	10	4	3	20	18	22	Sharp	4	16	1	17	33	9

NEW BEDFORD CITY LEAGUE.

Riverside	6	1	1	31	8	13	Cleveland Rov.	3	6	0	18	28	6
Crescents	4	1	2	16	11	10	Liberty A.C.	2	5	1	9	15	5
Portugal S.F.C.	4	2	1	9	5	9	Maderios S.F.C.	2	4	1	6	8	5
New Bedford	3	3	1	8	11	7	Recreations	2	3	1	7	11	5
St. Cruiz	3	2	1	11	13	7							

RHODE ISLAND JUNIOR SOCCER LEAGUE.

Pocasset Rovers	9	2	1	29	10	19	Esmond-Cortex.	6	4	2	17	16	14
Thornton Jrs.	7	3	2	16	14	16	Celtic Rovers.	1	7	0	8	28	2
Emmetts	5	3	4	18	10	14	Paw't Rangers.	0	7	1	5	16	1

1, Tom Lloyd, New Bedford, First Vice-President Southern New England Football Association. 2, Henry S. Bingham, Providence, R. I., Second Vice-President Southern New England Football Association. 3, George Ritchie, Providence, R. I., Secretary Southern New England Football Association. 4, Herbert F. Murray, Providence, R. I., President Rhode Island League; President Rhode Island Junior Soccer League; Southern New England Football Association Delegate to the Council of the United States Football Association. 5, Archie Neilson, Boston, Mass., Secretary North Massachusetts and New Hampshire State Football Association.

FALL RIVER INDEPENDENT SOCCER LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.		W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Starlights	9	1	3	22	6	21	Universals	5	6	2	14	20	12
Murphys	9	3	1	22	7	19	North Stars	1	12	0	9	32	2
Continentals	6	3	4	21	14	16							

FALL RIVER CITY LEAGUE.

Murphys	6	2	1	18	9	13	Odd Fellows	3	4	2	9	16	8
Starlights	6	2	1	15	10	13	North Stars	2	5	1	8	20	5
Shawmuts	4	3	1	10	14	9							

PAWTUCKET AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.

Fairlawn Rov.	11	0	1	31	18	23	Esmond	5	5	4	18	20	14
Lonsdale	9	2	2	36	20	20	Clan Cameron	3	10	1	20	22	7
Prospect Hill	7	2	3	26	18	17	Crompton	2	10	2	8	20	6
British-Canad's	6	3	3	20	17	15	Ashton-Berkl'y	1	13	0	6	40	2

COMPETITIONS.

TIMES CUP.

QUALIFYING ROUND—Continentals 5, Maderios S.F.C. 1; Universals 1, New Bedford 0; Pierce 9, F. E. Earle 0; Murphys F.C. 3, Potomska 0; Booth Hill 1, Fall River F.C. 0; Westerley United 2, Prospect Hill 1; Crompton 4, Clan Cameron 0; West Ends 4, Esmond-Cortex 2; Lonsdale 5, Ashton-Berkeley 1. FIRST ROUND—Universals 3, Continentals 2; Murphys 1, Colonials 0; Pierce 2, Acushnet-Hathaway 1; British-Canadians 2, Westerley United 1; Fairlawn Rovers 6, Lonsdale 1; Crompton 2, West Ends 1. SECOND ROUND—Murphys F.C. 2, Pierce 0; Booth Hill 4, Universals 3. THIRD ROUND—St. Michaels 1, Fall River Rovers 0; Fairlawn Rovers 4, Crompton 2; Saylesville 4, Booth Mill 0; Murphys F.C. 4, British-Canadians 0. SEMI-FINALS—Saylesville 4, Fairlawn Rovers 2; Murphys F.C. 5, St. Michaels 1. FINAL—Murphys F.C. 1, Sayles F.P. F.C. 0.

GUY NORMAN CUP.

FIRST ROUND—Fairlawn Rovers 5, Sacred Heart 2; Ashton Rangers 12, Natick Mill 0; Centreville Mill 2, Andrews F.C. 0; Thornton Jrs. 2, Lonsdale Seconds 0; Pontiac Mill 3, Fenner A.C. 0. SECOND ROUND—Whiting & Davis 4, Potter & John 1; Fairlawn Rovers 3, Centreville 2; Esmond-Cortex 5, Sayles Seconds 2; Pocasset Rovers 4, Pontiac Mill 2; Ashton Rangers 1, Arctic Mill 0; Darlington Rovers 5, Smithfield Rovers 1; Taft A.C. 8, Valley Queen 1; Thornton Jrs. 1, Royal Mill 0. THIRD ROUND—Esmond-Cortex 2, Whiting & Davis 1; Pocasset Rovers 4, Darlington Rovers 0; Taft A.C. 2, Fairlawn Rovers 0; Ashton Rangers 4, Thornton Jrs. 2. SEMI-FINALS—Taft A.C., 1, Esmond-Cortex 0; Pocasset Rovers 5, Ashton Rangers 4. FINAL—Pocasset Rovers 3, Taft A.C. 1.

KERR THREAD CUP.

FIRST ROUND—Cleveland Rovers 4, Riverside A.C. 2;. Murphys F.C. 4, Booth Mill 0; Dartmouth Mfg. Co. 1, Workingman's F.C. 0; Shawmut A.C. 3, Universals 1; Odd Fellows 2, Starlights 1. SECOND ROUND—Murphys F.C. 8, New Bedford 0; Maderios S.F.C. 1, Cleveland Rovers 0; Dartmouth Mfg. Co. 1, North Stars 0; Odd Fellows 4, Shawmut A.C. 0. SEMI-FINALS—Maderios S.F.C. 2, Dartmouth 1; Murphys F.C. 2, Odd Fellows 0. FINAL—Murphys F.C. 4, Maderios S.F.C. 1.

SURPRISE CUP (New Bedford).

FIRST ROUND—Gosnold 1, Dartmouth 0; Potomska 2, Holmes 0; Butler 2, National Sewing Silk 0; Nashawena 6, Atlas Tack 0; Wamsutta 2, F. E. Earle 1; Whitman 2, Pierce 2; Acushnet-Hathaway 0, Booth 0; Whitman 1, Pierce 0 (replay); Booth 3, Acushnet-Hathaway 1. SECOND ROUND—Gosnold 1, Nashawena 0; M. T. Drill 1, Booth 0; Whitman 1, Butler 0; Wamsutta 1, Potomska 0. SEMI-FINALS—Whitman 10, M. T. Drill 2; Gosnold 5, Wamsutta 1. FINAL—Whitman 4, Gosnold 1.

SOCCER IN MASSACHUSETTS.

By Sam McLerie, Boston.

The season of 1921-22 will long be remembered by Massachusetts devotees of soccer as the greatest in the history of the sport in this district. The

1, Charles Martin, Bridgeport, Conn., Vice-President Connecticut Amateur League. 2, Arthur Stead, Bridgeport, Conn., Member of Bridgeport Board of Recreation. 3, John W. Ambler, Secretary-Treasurer St. George's Football Club, Bridgeport, Conn. 4, H. F. Ackermann, Member of Committee St. George's Football Club, Bridgeport, Conn. 5, F. H. Whittaker, Member of Committee St. George's Football Club, Bridgeport, Conn. 6, Joe Clark, Ansonia, Conn., Manager of Ansonia Soccer Club. 7, Bobby Rae, Bridgeport, Conn., Secretary Connecticut Referees' Association. 8, Tom Wilson, Bridgeport, Conn., the "Grand Old Man" in Connecticut Soccer.

popularity of the game was never more manifest, and the more prominent contests witnessed keener competition than ever before.

Wonderful progress was seen, more particularly among the younger element, and numerous promising junior teams were organized and some remarkaby good games among them helped to increase the interest in the sport. Junior league football will as a result be inaugurated next season.

The State cup competition the past season was the most successful ever conducted by the State association and finished up in one of the greatest finals ever witnessed here. Abbot Worsted of Forge Village and Falco of Holyoke had to meet twice in the final contest, and the last game required an hour's extra time before a decision was gained, Falco winning 3 to 2. Financially the series was most successful, the returns breaking all previous records for the competition.

Thirty games were played, the results by rounds being as follows:

FIRST ROUND, October 22—Smith & Dove 5, Massachusetts Cotton Mills 2; Abbot Worsted 8, G. E. United 0; Arlington Mills 2, American Woolen 2; *American Woolen 3, Arlington Mills 1; Roxbury 1, Farnum Shoe 0; St. George 2, Lynn Gas-All Americans 1; †Sturtevant 4, South Boston Rangers 0; *Sturtevant 1, South Boston Rangers 1; ‡South Boston Rangers 2, Sturtevant 1; Charlestown 1, Swedish Americans 0; Saxony Mills vs. Braintree Welfare (awarded to Saxony Mills); Chicopee Rovers 5, Ludlow Portuguese 1; Holyoke 2, Whitins 3. Byes—Methuen, Gray & Davis, G. E. Thistle, Fore River, Ludlow Thistle, Falco. SECOND ROUND, November 12—Gray & Davis 2, St. George 0; G. E. Thistle 3, Roxbury 1; South Boston Rangers 0, Fore River 6; Saxony Mills 2, Charlestown 4; Ludlow Thistle 2, Whitins 2; *Whitins 1, Ludlow Thistle 0; Abbot Worsted 6, Methuen 2; Smith & Dove 3, American Woolen 1; Falco 4, Chicopee Rovers 0. THIRD ROUND, December 3—Gray & Davis 0, Abbot Worsted 2; Smith & Dove 1, Fore River 3; Charlestown 1, G. E. Thistle 2; Whitins 2, Falco 4. SEMI-FINALS—Falco 6, G. E. Thistle 1; Abbot Worsted 3, Fore River 1. FINAL—Abbot Worsted 1, Falco 1 (April 29); *Abbot Worsted 2, Falco 3 (June 6).

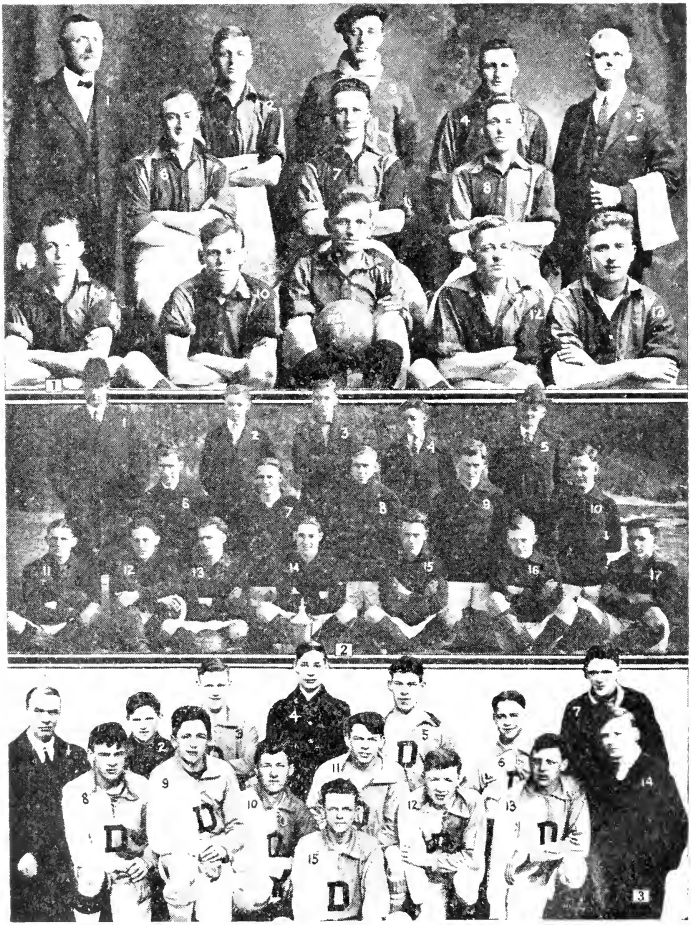
*Replay. †Unfinished. ‡Play-off.

A new cup competition was started, the proceeds of which go to a fund for injured players. The trophy was named the "Bob Paton Cup," after Robert Paton, who was killed on the soccer field two years ago. This series provided some excellent contests and was won by Lynn Gas and Electrics and was financially successful. The fund began to function almost immediately after the series ended by helping injured players. The results of the seventeen games played were as follows:

FIRST ROUND, April 8—American Woolen 5, Arlington Mills 0; Arlington Mills Juniors 1, Abbot Worsted Juniors 0; Ludlow Thistle 0, Holyoke 1; Braintree Welfare 1, Fore River 3; Lynn Gas 6, G. E. Thistle 1; Saxony Mills scratched to Swedish-Americans; Roxbury 1, St. George 2; South Boston Rangers 1, Gray & Davis 2; Armenians forfeited to Charlestown. SECOND ROUND, May 14—Swedish-Americans 1, Lynn Gas 3; Charlestown 4, Holyoke 1; American Woolen 1, Abbot Worsted Juniors 0; Fore River 2, Gray & Davis 1; Lowell Portuguese 0, St. George 4. SEMI-FINAL, June 10—Fore River 2, St. George 3; Charlestown 2, Lynn Gas 3. FINAL, June 24—St. George 1, Lynn Gas 3.

The North Massachusetts and New Hampshire State Association had, at time of writing, forty-six clubs, five leagues, three referees' associations and five cup competitions, including State cup. These figures show an increase over last year, and present indications are for a still larger membership.

The Boston and District League, the largest in the State, had a highly successful season. The Gray & Davis team of Cambridge, last year's winner, again won the title of champions of the A Division, and the Lynn Gas and Electrics won the B Division series. In the final for the championship of the league between the two division winners, Lynn Gas defeated Gray &



(1) ACUSHNET HATHAWAY, Division A Champions New Bedford Industrial League.—1, Earnshaw; 2, L. Worden; 3, Bates; 4, Belanger; 5, Walker; 6, Mullarky; 7, Robinson; 8, Hague; 9, Duckworth; 10, R. Worden; 11, Parr; 12, Crook; 13, Sharples. (2) POCASSET ROVERS, Winners Rhode Island Junior Soccer League and Guy Norman Cup Junior Champions, Southern New England District.—1, White, Mgr.; 2, Shepherd; 3, Haywood; 4, Saunders; 5, S. Youde, Sec.; 6, R. Orcott; 7, Dove; 8, Coupe; 9, F. Orcott; 10, Sheldrick; 11, McNeil, Capt.; 12, Bramley; 13, I. Youde; 14, Rivers; 15, Boyd; 16, Paulson; 17, Raione. (3) DARTMOUTH MILL JRS., New Bedford Industrial League.

Davis 2 to 0. The winners received gold medals and custody of the Thomas Grieve Cup, and the runners-up were awarded silver medals.

The final league standing follows:

A DIVISION.

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.		P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Gray & Davis	14	13	1	0	26	Sturtevant	14	4	8	2	10
Braintree Welfare...	14	11	2	1	23	So. Boston Rangers.	14	5	9	0	10
Charlestown	14	6	5	3	15	Roxbury	14	4	9	1	9
*St. George	14	7	6	1	13	Farnum Shoe	14	1	11	2	4

*Two points deducted for breach of rules.

B DIVISION.

Lynn Gas & Electric	10	8	0	2	18	Portuguese A.A. ...	10	5	5	0	10
Electric Thistle	10	8	1	1	17	Saxony Mills	10	2	8	0	4
Swedish-Americans .	10	5	4	1	11	Vikings	10	0	10	0	0

The Boston and District League also runs the Williamson Cup series, and the past season had a decidedly successful competition. The cup was won by Gray & Davis, defeating Roxbury in the final, 3 to 0. The results:

WILLIAMSON CUP COMPETITION.

FIRST ROUND—Roxbury 0, South Boston Rangers 0; Roxbury 3, South Boston Rangers 1 (replay); Armenian Amer. 0, South Boston Celtic 2; *Sturtevants 0, Gray & Davis 0; Maple Leaf Juniors 5, Vikings 0; Braintree Welfare 3, Charlestown 0; †Swedish-Americans vs. Lynn Gas & Electric. SECOND ROUND—Maple Leaf Juniors 0, Roxbury 3; South Boston Celtics 1, Swedish-Americans 4. SEMI-FINAL—Roxbury 5, Swedish-Americans 1; Gray & Davis 3, Braintree Welfare 2. FINAL—Gray & Davis 3, Roxbury 0.

*Sturtevants thrown out for breach of rules. †Lynn Gas withdrew.

NORTH MASSACHUSETTS AND NEW HAMPSHIRE S.F.A.

President, Charles Burnett, Holyoke; Vice-Presidents, Dave Easton, Lawrence, and Alexander Hamilton, Quincy; Secretary, Archie Neilson, Somerville; Delegates-at-large, William McLauchan, Quincy; Percy Wilson, Lawrence; Sam McLerie, Boston.

By Sam McLerie.

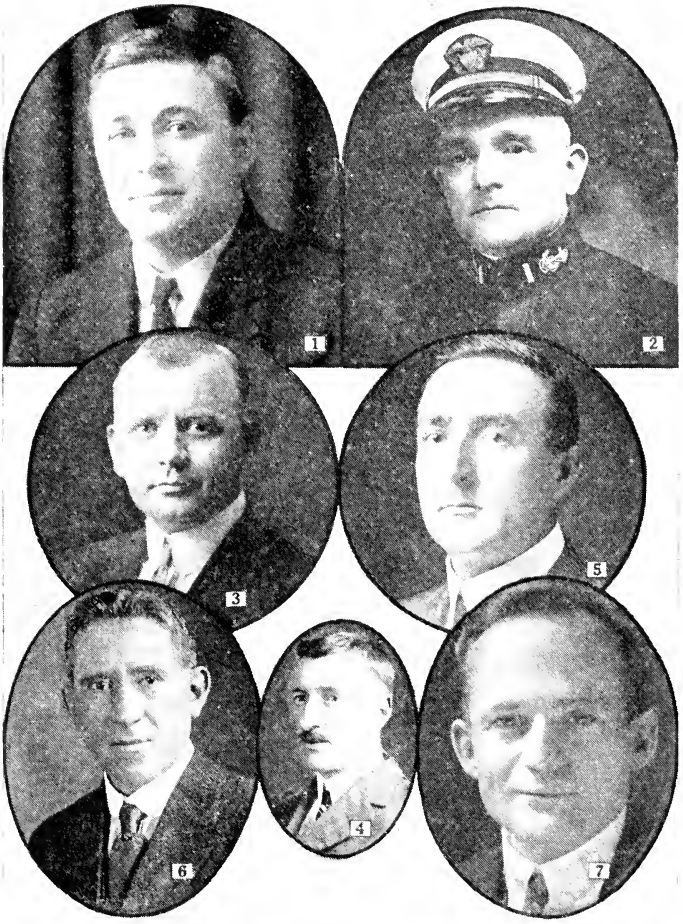
The ninth annual meeting of the United States Football Association which was held in Boston, with the State Association acting as host to the visiting delegates, was according to the members of the parent body, one of the most interesting socially yet held. The entertainment of the visitors was in the hands of a committee consisting of George Collins, Sam McLerie, James Yule and Dave Easton.

The State Association unanimously elected the same officers for next season, excepting James Yule, who was succeeded by Alex Hamilton of Quincy.

During the season the state association presented to its former secretary, George M. Collins, a chest of silver and a cash honorarium in appreciation of his nine years' work as State Secretary.

In the entertainment of the delegates to the annual meeting, the City of Boston through Mayor James M. Curley took a leading part and extended to the delegates and State officials a splendid dinner with entertainment. The Harvard Athletic Association also tendered a fine luncheon to the visitors.

The officers elected to handle Boston and District League matters are: president, George Parks; Vice-Presidents, Frank Dorman and Art Curley; Secretary and Treasurer, Tom Wilford.



1, Joe Booth, Bridgeport, Conn., Secretary of Connecticut State Football Association, Connecticut State League, Connecticut Amateur League; Honorary President Connecticut Referees' Association; Secretary Bridgeport Junior League. 2, John C. Ross, Bridgeport, Conn., National Delegate Connecticut State Football Association; also Past President. 3, James Miller, New Haven, Conn., President Connecticut State Football Association. 4, J. A. Drake, Hartford, Conn., Vice President Connecticut State Football Association. 5, Edward S. Eversfield, Bridgeport, Conn., Treasurer Connecticut State Football Association. 6, William Bridges, Delegate at Large, Connecticut State Football Association. 7, P. V. Gahan, Supt. Board of Recreation, Bridgeport, Conn.; President Bridgeport Junior League.

NEW BEDFORD INDUSTRIAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE.

The season 1921-22, the third of the New Bedford Industrial Football League, was a success from every point of view. Gosnold F.C. again won the championship. This was the third season this club won the title without suffering a defeat in league play. The beautiful silver trophy donated by the manufacturers went to this club as its property. The club has done what few have done in any league—won the championship in three consecutive seasons.

Gosnold F.C. sustained one defeat, but this was in the Surprise Cup games, a newly founded competition, in which it lost to Whitman F.C. by 4 goals to 1.

The league last year was composed of sixteen clubs which was fewer than in two previous years, but no club dropped out last year as was done in previous seasons. Two new teams, Atlas Tack F.C. and the F. E. Earle F.C., won marked praise for fine sportsmanship.

FINAL STANDING.

DIVISION A.

Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.	Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Acushlet-Hath.	18	2	0	70	13	36	N. Bed. Cotton	8	10	0	39	58	16
Dartmouth	16	3	1	85	21	33	Nashawena	6	11	1	37	44	13
Whitman	14	2	3	77	12	31	Holmes	3	15	1	19	38	7
Butler	7	9	2	25	22	16	Atlas Tack	0	20	0	14	150	0

DIVISION B.

Gosnold F. C.	16	0	4	54	8	36	M.T. Drill	6	7	2	22	24	14
Pierce	15	2	2	65	12	32	F.E. Earle	3	13	2	14	49	8
Booth	11	2	4	32	7	26	Nat. Spun Silk	2	16	2	7	67	6
Wamsutta	7	8	3	26	29	17	Potomska	2	12	1	11	35	5

Winners interdivisional playoff, Gosnold F.C.

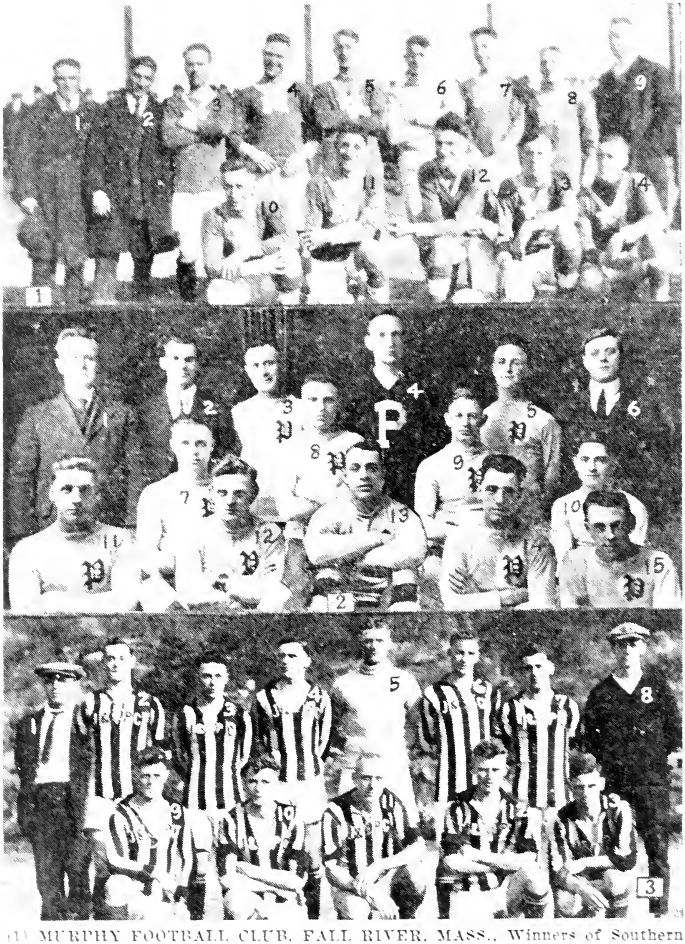
CONNECTICUT STATE FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION.

By Joe Booth.

President, James Miller, New Haven; Vice-President, J. A. Drake, Hartford; Treasurer, E. S. Eversfield, Bridgeport; Secretary, Joe Booth, Bridgeport; National Delegate, J. C. Ross, Bridgeport; Delegates-at-Large, W. Bridges, Bridgeport, J. Rutherford, Stamford, and S. Cordner, South Manchester.

The 1921-22 season in Connecticut was marred by the State association's misfortune in having all its more important cup and "international" games encounter bad weather. Otherwise the season was a great success and disclosed that the game is growing in this section by leaps and bounds. Officials and clubs have worked in perfect harmony. The Swedish Soccer Club of Bridgeport withdrew from the Amateur League and started a newspaper controversy which did the game no good, but aside from this, and a few protests against results of games, the season passed off without untoward incident.

Industrial depression limited the number of teams affiliated, but recovery from this depression has been rather general and we are looking forward to a record season. Last season we had four affiliated leagues under our jurisdiction and twenty-two affiliated teams.



(1) MURPHY FOOTBALL CLUB, FALL RIVER, MASS., Winners of Southern New England Times Challenge Cup, Kerr Challenge Cup and the Foster Cup.—1, Stinton, Sub; 2, Jessie, Trainer; 3, Starkie; 4, Houlker; 5, Buckley; 6, Higgins; 7, Soarbs; 8, Stone; 9, Sullivan; 10, Hammond; 11, Tickle; 12, Pilkington; 13, Haigh; 14, Bedard. (2) PIERCE FOOTBALL CLUB, NEW BEDFORD, MASS.—1, Edwards; 2, Mills; 3, Brindle; 4, Perrin; 5, Heywood; 6, Edwards; 7, C. Green; 8, G. Green; 9, Graham; 10, Walker; 11, Morgan; 12, Abrams; 13, Walker; 14, Jennings; 15, Pickup. (3) J. & P. COATS, INC., FOOTBALL CLUB, PAWTUCKET, R. I. Members American Soccer League, 1920-21.

A record was established when the full-fledged amateur league team, the Danersk Athletics, of Stamford, surprised the whole State by winning the State Cup competition, beating such strong teams as the Swedish A.A., Manchester, Hartford and New Haven, regarded for the season as the strongest in the State. The Danersk team was without doubt the sensation of the season, managing also to lift the championship of the Amateur League without sustaining a defeat. The team, however, was defeated by the Ansonia club in the spring cup competition and by the St. Georges in the National Cup competition.

After one of the hardest struggles in the history of the Connecticut State League, the St. Georges of Bridgeport won the title by the margin of one league point over the Manchester team, these two teams playing the deciding game on the last day of the season. The Manchester team came to Bridgeport for this game with the advantage of one league point and had either to win or tie the game to make sure of the championship, but the St. Georges played a marvelous game and won by the score of 4 goals to 3, one of the hardest games ever witnessed in the state.

The Manchester team, however, got its revenge in the spring cup competition, for these two teams were qualified for the final and in this Manchester scored a victory by 2 goals to 0.

The annual "international" game between players of English and Scottish birth was won by the latter by 2 goals to 1.

Efforts made by the writer to get a high school soccer league organized for the State, although for the time being unsuccessful, the seed was sown and the league may be organized this season. Several schools organized teams and played interclass games for practice last year.

Bridgeport, the leading soccer city of the State for the past several seasons, has seen a great decline in senior football, but in its place junior and schoolboy soccer is booming. During the past season Bridgeport had three schoolboy leagues, which comprised twenty-one schools and this season the number will be greatly increased. Other cities of the State have signified their intention of taking up the game in the grammar schools.

Last season officials of the game in Bridgeport started a league that would take care of the boys after they left school and those not capable enough to play in the senior leagues of the State. This Bridgeport Junior League created great enthusiasm. Bridgeport High School and the Hollister Thistles had to play a deciding game for the title and the Hollister team won, 2 to 1. In the spring, a knockout competition was staged for these junior teams and again the Hollister Thistles proved successful.

The Bridgeport City team, classed as one of the strongest teams in the East for several seasons has gone out of existence, at least for the present. The team played but three games last season and after playing its cup ties was disbanded. The team was eliminated by the St. Georges in the National Cup competition by the margin of two goals and by the New Haven team in the semi-final round of the State Cup competition by four goals.

Although the St. George's team had a great season from a playing point of view, the club was heavily hit financially. At Holyoke, Mass., for instance, in the third round of the National Cup competition, after making the 150-mile trip, the ground was found to be almost a foot deep in snow. The game was played, however.

The high school ladies' soccer team was in existence last season, but it was compelled to confine itself to class games, as no women's team could be found to play it.

(1) GOSNOLD MILLS, New Bedford Industrial League.—1, McHugh, Mgr.; 2, Parkinson; 3, Auger; 4, Britton; 5, Grimes; 6, St. Peter, Trainer; 7, Holt; 8, Christie; 9, Livisey; 10, Smith; 11, Wilson; 12, Richardson; 13, Morency; 14, Britton. (2) ABBOT WORSTED, FORGE VILLAGE, MASS., Semi-finalists National Challenge Cup Competition. 1, Delaney, Trainer; 2, Flanagan, Asst. Trainer; 3, MacMaster; 4, Hulse; 5, Ross; 6, MacIntosh Cosgrove; 8, Kelly; 9, Stewart; 10, ————; 11, Duncan; 12, Kane; 13, Pa[illegible]; 14, Kershaw; 15, Ritchie; 16, Farquhar.

Several new faces are to be found in the list of officers in the three delegates-at-large, S. Rutherford, Stamford, the manager of the Danersk Athletic club of that city; W. Bridges, manager of the Bridgeport City club, and Stewart Cordner, manager of the Manchester club. Results in the three leagues were:

CONNECTICUT STATE FOOTBALL LEAGUE.

Club.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.	Club.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
St. Georges	9	1	2	20	Ansonia	4	6	2	10
Manchester	9	2	1	19	Olympics	2	10	0	4
Hartford	7	5	0	14	Meriden	1	10	1	3
New Haven	6	4	2	14					

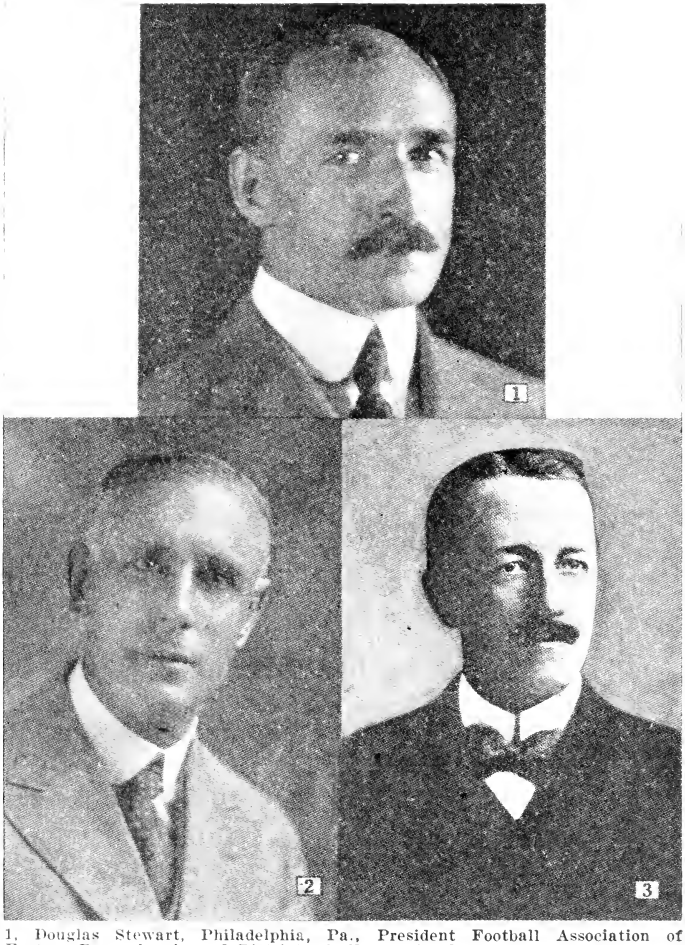
CONNECTICUT STATE AMATEUR LEAGUE.

Danersk Athletics	7	0	1	15	Bridgeport Rangers.	1	5	2	4
Crane Company	4	2	2	10	Stamford F.C.	1	5	2	4
Conn. Lace Wks.	2	3	3	7					

BRIDGEPORT JUNIOR LEAGUE.

Hollister Thistles	*4	1	2	10	Seaside Juniors	2	3	1	5
Bridgeport H.S.	*3	2	2	8	St. Georges Juniors.	2	4	0	4

*Denotes a deciding game played to settle championship.



1, Douglas Stewart, Philadelphia, Pa., President Football Association of Eastern Pennsylvania and District. 2, Fred Spikesley, Famous English Internationalist who is now a Professional Coach in Mexico City. 3, A. M. Addison, Maple Shades, N. J., President United States Referees Union.

Western Pennsylvania Football Association

President, Ivor A. Hopkins; Vice-President, William J. Kerr; Secretary, Robert Brown; Treasurer, William S. Haddock.

By Robert Brown.

The Western Pennsylvania Football Association experienced a successful season 1921-22 in spite of the general depression. No fewer than eighty clubs sought affiliation, and forty-six clubs entered the cup competition, this being the largest number of entries since the inception of the Association and double the previous season's entries. Although the financial returns did not equal those of the previous season, yet the competition was operated to a successful conclusion and came up to the expectations in a financial way.

Cuddy F.C. was returned the champion after a stiff opposition in almost every round, its two dangerous opponents being Sturgeon F.C., twice champion, and Victory Hill. Sturgeon F.C. gave a good account of itself and made a noble effort to repeat its previous stellar performance. The bitterest contests were those in which Sturgeon and Arden participated in the fourth round, a victor not being returned until the fifth meeting of these clubs, when Sturgeon finally conquered by 2 goals to 1. The final, between Cuddy and Victory Hill, was nip and tuck from start to finish, both teams failing to display their usual form on account of the treacherous condition of the field. Cuddy was fortunate in leaving the field with a 2 to 1 victory.

Early in September the Association lost by death its most worthy President, R. Stanley Burleigh, who held this position since the inception of the Association and who was an ardent devotee to the sport.

The result of the Cup Competition follows:

FIRST ROUND—Madison 2, Yukon 1; Ulster Society 2, Greensburg 1; Curtisville 3, East Pittsburgh 2; Amsterdam 5, Central A.C. 4; Neff 4, Follansbee 1; Tiltonville 5, Triadelphia 1; Victory Hill 4, Montour No. 10, 1; Dunlevy 1, National No. 4 0; Curry 2, Houston 1; Castle Shannon 4, Beaver Falls 0; Cuddy 4, Primrose 0; Moon Run Juniors 1, Cannonsburg 0; Avella 3, Bridgeville 1; Morgan Juniors 10, Mine No. 3 1. SECOND ROUND—Avella 6, McDonald 1; Morgan Juniors 4, Pittsburgh Rovers 1; Keystone 1, Ulster Society 0; *Rillton 1, Herminie 0; Castle Shannon A.A. 2, Neff 0; Overbrook 1, Imperial 0; Steubenville 5, Salineville 1; Madison 5, Clan Robertson 1; Amsterdam 5, Tiltonville 0; Sturgeon 5, Curtisville 0; Castle Shannon 1, Curry 0; Arden 1, Moon Run 0; Heidelberg 6, Moon Run Juniors 1; Dunlevy 0, Roscoe 0; †Dunlevy 5, Roscoe 0; Cuddy 5, Beadling 2; Victory Hill 2, Gallatin 1. THIRD ROUND—Heidelberg 6, Overbrook 2; Keystone 2, Rillton 0; Sturgeon 2, Madison 1; Amsterdam 4, Steubenville 0; Arden 8, Castle Shannon A.A. 0; Castle Shannon 4, Morgan Rovers 1; Cuddy 2, Avella 1; Victory Hill 2, Dunlevy 1. FOURTH ROUND—Victory Hill 5, Keystone 1; Castle Shannon 7, Heidelberg 4; Cuddy 2, Amsterdam 0; Sturgeon 0, Arden 0; *Sturgeon 2, Arden 2; *Sturgeon 0, Arden 0; *Sturgeon 1, Arden 1; *Sturgeon 2, Arden 1. SEMI-FINALS—Victory Hill 1, Castle Shannon 0; Cuddy 5, Sturgeon 4. FINAL—Cuddy 2, Victory Hill 1.

*Won by protest. †Replay.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA REFEREES' ASSOCIATION.

President, George Brannigan; Vice-President, James Spence; Secretary-Treasurer, Frank T. Hulet, 456 Melrose Avenue, Ambridge, Pa.

By Harry H. Fairfield.

In spite of the serious handicaps due to the widespread industrial depression as well as the coal strike, the Western Pennsylvania Referees' Association was able to report a very successful season for 1921-1922. The member-

(1) HEIDELBURG JUNIOR SOCCER FOOTBALL CLUB, Champions Pittsburgh Press Junior League—1, Browning; 2, Laval; 3, Harbin; 4, Potts; 5, Franks; 6, Stenzel; 7, E. Balsarini, Mgr.; 8, Humble; 9, Fisher, Capt.; 10, Gregor; 11, Savage; 12, Berchini. (2) DUNLEVY JUVENILE SOCCER FOOTBALL CLUB, Champions Pittsburgh Press Monongahela Juvenile League.

1, Ivor A. Hopkins, Swissvale, Pa., President West Pennsylvania Football Association. 2, Robert Brown, Pittsburgh, Pa., Vice-President West Pennsylvania Football Association, 1922-23.

ship was increased to twenty-two active members and the ability displayed by the referees during the past season was higher than usual. The association functioned in six leagues and three cup competitions locally, as well as the regular competition for the National Cup with a total of 350 games.

Large and enthusiastic meetings were held once a month during the playing season in which advancement in knowledge and ability to manipulate the fine points of soccer football were the primary consideration.

PITTSBURGH PRESS SOCCER LEAGUES.

President, William S. Haddock; Vice-President, Ralph S. Davis, Sporting Editor Pittsburgh Press; Secretary Treasurer, Robert Brown.

By William S. Haddock.

Soccer enjoyed a very successful year, under the auspices of the Pittsburgh *Press*, when no fewer than thirty-two clubs participated in the various *Press* leagues, i.e., the *Press* Westmoreland League, with ten clubs; the *Press* Ohio Valley League, with eight clubs; the *Press* Junior League, with eight clubs, and the *Press* Monongahela Juvenile League, composed of six clubs. The champion clubs in the respective leagues were Keystone, Amsterdam, Heidelberg and Dunlevy, all of which played consistent soccer throughout the season, and received cups and medals donated by the Pittsburgh *Press*.

The *Press* Westmoreland League had two clubs tied for the coveted honor at the end of the season, viz., Keystone and Madison, the latter club losing out on account of an infraction of the rules.

The *Press* extended its scope of territory down into the Ohio and West Virginia districts, and placed soccer on a firm basis there by organizing an eight-club league. Amsterdam proved too strong for the rest of the clubs, assuming command from the getaway and never was headed.

The *Press Junior* League was bitterly contested throughout, Heidelberg, Pittsburgh Rovers, Glenn and Castle Shannon being pretty evenly matched, but the Heidelberg Club by its stamina and airtight playing, finished in top position by the close margin of one point.

The *Press* decided to do something for the younger generation in the Monongahela district which was hungering to engage in league soccer, and organized the *Press* Monongahela Juvenile League with six clubs, the players of which averaged about sixteen years of age. Dunlevy, with a well balanced aggregation, proved a stumbling block to the rest of the clubs and experienced little trouble in winning the championship.

A banquet, the twelfth annual tendered by the *Press* to the champion clubs, at the General Forbes Hotel on March 11, was the largest since the *Press* undertook to foster soccer, there being one hundred and forty-five present.

The final standing of the *Press* Leagues follows:

PRESS WESTMORELAND LEAGUE.

	G.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Keystone	18	16	1	1	29	8	33
Madison	18	15	2	1	27	9	31
Yukon	18	11	2	5	27	12	27
Rillton	18	9	5	4	25	13	22
Herminie	18	10	7	1	23	16	21
East Pittsburgh	18	5	10	3	22	25	13
Clan Robertson	18	4	11	3	22	37	11
Ulster Society	18	4	11	3	15	20	11
Greensburg	18	4	12	2	13	29	10
Irwin	18	0	17	1	7	40	1

PRESS OHIO VALLEY LEAGUE.

	G.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Amsterdam	14	13	0	1	43	7	27
Central A.C.	14	6	4	4	24	21	16
Salineville	14	7	6	1	15	17	15
Steubenville	14	6	5	3	21	18	15
Tiltonville	14	6	7	1	29	23	13
Triadelphia	14	6	7	1	17	38	13
Neff	14	5	8	1	13	13	11
Follansbee*	14	0	12	2	5	21	2

*Withdrew.

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(1) PHILADELPHIA SOCCER CLUB OF PHILADELPHIA, PA., Champions American Soccer League—1, Lorimer; 2, Murray; 3, Ferguson; 4, Kerr; 5, Porter; 6, Bethune; 7, Fullerton; 8, Morley; 9, Forrest; 10, Brittan; 11, Campbell; 12, Fleming. (2) S. B. & B. W. FLEISHER F.C., PHILADELPHIA, PA.—1, T. Derbyshire; 2, D. McDonald, Trainer; 3, H. Derbyshire; 4, Benson; 5, Rogers; 6, S. Fleisher, Pres.; 7, Kucklick; 8, W. Shumann, Asst. Mgr.; 9, Fleming; 10, A. Schumann; 11, Struth; 12, Taylor; 13, Demko; 14, Whyte; 15, Walker, Capt.; 16, Malley; 17, McKay, Mgr.; 18, Stradan; 19, McLaughlin; 20, Galloway.

PRESS JUNIOR LEAGUE.

	G.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	A.	Pts.		G.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	A.	Pts.
Heidelberg	14	9	1	4	34	12	22	Mine No. 3.....	14	6	5	3	31	27	15
Pitts. Rovers...	14	9	2	3	34	21	21	Overbrook	14	3	8	3	13	28	9
Glenn	14	9	2	3	32	17	21	Imperial	14	4	10	0	15	40	8
Castle Shannon.	14	7	5	2	34	27	16	Lawrenceville*	14	0	14	0	1	23	0

*Withdrew.

PRESS MONONGAHELA LEAGUE.

Dunlevy	10	9	0	1	50	4	19	Charleroi	10	3	6	1	6	26	7
Allenport	10	8	1	1	29	11	17	Belle Vernon...	10	1	8	1	4	31	3
Vesta	10	5	4	1	10	18	11	Peppo	10	1	8	1	5	14	3

INTERSTATE SOCCER LEAGUE, SCRANTON, PA.

One of the most promising new leagues of the entire East is that formed in the Scranton district last season under the name of Interstate Soccer League. A six-club circuit was formed. George Anderson of Scranton, elected president of the league in its first year, donated a cup for competition. The league was hard hit by the miners' strike and great difficulty was met in raising funds for traveling expenses in the emergency, but the first half of the league schedule was completed, June 5, and the second half will be played off in the fall. The league standing on May 10, last, was:

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	A.	Pts.		W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	A.	Pts.
Peckville	5	0	1	19	3	11	Celtic	1	3	2	7	12	4
Rangers	5	0	1	16	1	11	Endicott*	1	3	0	5	16	2
Old Forge	2	3	1	10	5	5	Susquehanna ..	0	4	1	3	18	1

*Endicott forfeited game to Rangers for non-appearance.

ALLIED AMATEUR CUP COMPETITION OF PHILADELPHIA AND DISTRICT.

PRELIMINARY ROUND—British Great War Vets 1, Viscose 4; Francisville 1, Purtain 5; Hardwick & Magee 2, Glenn Social 1; Autocar 3, Nativity 2; Eden 0, Clover 5; Disston Steel 3, Conshohocken 1. FIRST ROUND—*Albion 2, M. E. Smith 1; Robin 3, Lighthouse B.C. 1; Aldan A.A. 1, Palethorpe 3; Wolfenden Shore 4, Fanhill 1; Clover 5, Belmont 2; Autocar 0, Hardwick & Magee 1; Disston Saw 0, Viscose 1; De Paul 3, North Philadelphia 1; Puritan 1, Kensington Cong. 0; Wissinoming 1, Victrix 0; Green Ribbon 3, Gordon 1; Centennial 1, Ascension 3; Canadian War Vets 6, Feltonville 1; S.B. & B.W. Fleisher 6, Sunshine 0; Disston Steel 0, Wildwood 1. SECOND ROUND—Palethorpe 1, Wolfenden Shore 3; Wissinoming 2, Clover 4; Ascension 1, Kaywood 0; Robin 1, De Paul 3; Albion 1, Puritan L.M.L. 3; †Wildwood 2, Canadian War Vets 4; Fleisher 5, Viscose 1; Hardwick & Magee 2, Green Ribbon 0. THIRD ROUND—De Paul 4, Wildwood 1; Ascension 1, Fleisher 3; Hardwick & Magee 2, Clover 1; Wolfenden Shore 2, Puritan 1. FIRST SEMI-FINAL—Wolfenden Shore 3, De Paul 2 (Tacony Ball Park). SECOND SEMI-FINAL—Hardwick & Magee 1, Fleisher 4 (Tacony Ball Park). FINAL—S.B. & B.W. Fleisher 4, Wolfenden Shore 1.

*M. E. Smith protested Albion game, spectators interfering with the ball and play. Game ordered played over. On replay referee called game off without going to grounds. M. E. Smith did not go to grounds. Albion awarded game. †Wildwood was awarded the game against Canadian War Vets for playing a professional under another player's name.

FINAL STANDINGS.
FIRST DIVISION—SECTION A.

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	A.	Pts.		W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	A.	Pts.
Wolfen.-Shore .	9	1	3	25	10	19	Viscose	5	5	2	32	11	12
Mar. E. Smith.	8	3	1	23	13	17	Fairhill Club...	4	6	2	13	13	10
Puritan Y.M.L.	6	3	3	17	12	15	Kensing. Cong.	4	7	1	15	20	9

Kingsessing withdrew.

Tie between Wolfenden-Shore and Marshall E. Smith; Wolfenden-Shore won the play-off.

FIRST DIVISION—SECTION B.

	G.	W.	L.	Goals D.	F.	A.	Pts.		G.	W.	L.	Goals D.	F.	A.	Pts.
Ascension	10	1	1		29	6	21	Fairview	4	4	4		10	19	12
Disston Saw	8	2	2		22	10	18	Gordon F.C.	5	6	1		13	12	11
Can. War Vets	8	3	1		13	12	17	Paradise F.C.	2	9	1		6	19	5

Nativity withdrew.

SECOND DIVISION.

Glenn Social	12	2	0		37	9	24	Edgemoore	7	7	0		14	28	14
Wildwood	10	2	2		29	18	22	Lighthouse B.C.	4	8	2		26	28	10
Kaywood	8	6	0		19	11	16	N. Phila. A.A.	3	10	1		16	28	7
Palethorpe	8	6	0		24	29	16	B.G.W. Vets	2	11	1		13	28	5

Colonial F.C. withdrew.

WEST PHILADELPHIA—FIRST.

Albion	11	1	2		37	12	24	Dunkirk	7	5	2		18	18	16
Victrix	9	3	2		26	15	20	Welcome	4	9	1		18	33	9
Conshohocken	9	5	8		20	18	18	Schuylkill R.	2	11	1		6	30	6
Belmont	8	5	1		33	16	17								

Angora F.C. withdrew.

FOURTH—NORTHWESTERN.

Cambria	12	1	1		64	12	25	Lighthouse Rov	6	7	1		16	32	13
Westmoreland	11	1	2		75	23	24	Somerset	5	8	1		17	37	11
Roosevelt	9	4	1		29	32	19	Funfield F.C.	2	12	0		21	67	4
Collingwood	7	7	0		26	17	14								

Germantown B.C. Reserves withdrew.

FOURTH—NORTH EASTERN.

Victor	12	0	2		44	9	26	S.S.F.	5	8	1		23	33	11
Scanlon	9	2	3		40	16	21	Frankford Alb.	4	8	2		18	31	10
East End	9	3	2		22	15	20	St. Adelberta	3	9	2		12	23	8
St. Vincent	7	6	1		23	12	15								

Italian-American withdrew.

THIRD—NORTHWESTERN.

Clover	20	0	2		60	12	42	Funfield	12	8	2		34	17	26
Feltonville	13	4	5		42	30	31	Cayuga	11	7	4		36	36	25
Eden A.A.	15	6	1		48	26	31	Olney	9	12	1		34	38	19
Green Ribbon	12	4	5		26	22	29	Corinthians	4	17	1		26	22	9

Oliver Knit, East Falls, Wanderers and Fiancerville withdrew.

In play-off for second place Feltonville won.

THIRD—NORTHEASTERN.

De Paul	18	3	1		53	12	37	Robins	13	6	3		32	16	29
Sunshine	15	2	5		49	19	35	Rosewood	12	7	3		35	23	27
Disston Steel	15	3	4		64	17	34	Farren	6	14	2		31	51	14
Rangers	15	4	3		34	18	31	Lighthouse Res.	5	14	3		33	58	13
Wissinoming	14	6	2		37	21	30	Fitler	6	15	1		24	53	13

Patriotic Order Sons of America and Red Cross withdrew.

Larchwood	14	1	1		38	4	29	Victoria B.C.	6	8	2		12	26	12
Aldan A.A.	12	3	1		37	15	25	Rainbow	5	11	0		17	33	10
West End	12	3	1		36	15	25	Angora B.C.	4	11	1		22	34	9
Aldon A.	8	8	0		24	19	16	Stewart Club.	3	12	1		13	26	7
Dunkirk Res.	6	9	1		17	33	15								

In play-off for second place, Aldan A.A. won.

S. B. & B. W. FLEISHER SOCCER TEAM.

By Jack McKay.

The Fleisher Yarn eleven of Philadelphia had a sensational season in 1921-22, going through a difficult schedule with but one defeat, that by the Philadelphia Football Club of the American Soccer League in the fourth round of the National Challenge Cup play.

The Fleishers opened the season by defeating University of Pennsylvania in an exhibition game, 4 goals to 1, and swung into the league play by tieing Electric Storage Battery F.C. at 2—2. Scores of succeeding league games were:

Fleisher 5, Westinghouse 0; 7, Art Loom 1; 4, Hardwick & Magee 0; 8, Snellenberg 0; 4, Electric Storage Battery 2; 9, Westinghouse 0; 3, Hardwick & Magee 2; 6, Snellenberg 2; 1, Electric Storage 0 (forfeited); 1, Westinghouse 0 (forfeited); 3, Electric Storage Battery 1; 4, Snellenberg 0; 2, Hardwick & Magee 1; 1, Westinghouse 0 (forfeited); 1, Snellenberg 0 (forfeited); 1, Hardwick & Magee 0 (forfeited); 6, Art Loom 0.

National Cup Competition—First round: 1, Hibernians 0. Second round: 4, Viscose, Marcus Hook 1. Third round: 4, Bethlehem Steel 1. Fourth round: Philadelphia 6, Fleisher 1.

Telegraph Cup Competition—First round: Fleisher 4, Sunshine 0. Second round: 3, Ascension 1. Third round: 4, Viscose 1. Semi-final: 4, Hardwick & Magee 2. Final: 3, Wolfenden-Shore 1.

In the Hohlfeld Cup Competition, confined to Industrial League teams, only three clubs were entered. Fleisher drew a bye in the first round, and in the second and final round defeated Electric Storage Battery 6—1.

Besides defeating Philadelphia Hibernians in two exhibition games, by 6—1 and 1—0 scores, the Fleisher team beat every amateur team even approaching its class in the Philadelphia district, the scores being:

Fleisher 2, Philadelphia Athletics 0; 3, Marshall E. Smith 0; 6, pick of Philadelphia amateurs 1; 4, Albion 1; 7, Clover 0; 4, Kaywood 1; 2, Kaywood 0; 7, Kingsessing 0.

Soccer in Maryland

By Charles J. Foreman.
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Despite the handicap of an unusually wet season, which caused postponements of many games, the season of 1921-22 found soccer enjoying the best year of its career since its introduction in Maryland some time ago. The game, which got off to a modest start when first introduced here, has come to the fore rapidly in the past two or three years and now has a large following among the sport-loving public. Soccer is now recognized as the only outdoor winter sport in these domains.

While more than the usual amount of bad weather was encountered, it was partly offset by an early start in the fall and a late spring, which enabled most of the postponed games to be played off. In normal times there is no better suited climate for the sport than that of Maryland, because of its location, which is just between the cold North and the warm South.

Throughout the State the sport is entirely amateur and rivalry is exceedingly keen between the various teams. Although conductd on a purely non-professional basis, the small attendance usually found at such games is not noted here, and a stranger witnessing a contest would imagine from viewing the large crowd present that a championship game for a huge purse was in progress, for it is not unusual for attendance figures to reach and surpass the five figure mark.

Soccer teams are included in the activities of the schoolboys and each school has its representative team, picked from the best of various class teams, Hot rivalry runs rife when these school and class teams engage in battle, as they do to decide different district championships. The big game in Baltimore, from a schoolboy's viewpoint, is that between City College and Polytechnic Institute, high school rivals in all sports. Last season so tight was the play of these two teams that three games had to be played, the first two having ended in ties.

All the schoolboy contests, as well as most other branches of the sport, are under the supervision of the Public Athletic League, which has done wonders for the game and to whom much credit must be given for making the sport as popular as it now is.

Another organization of great assistance to the development of the game is the Maryland Referees' Association. This association furnishes capable referees for all games and is a huge asset to conducting the game on a high plane throughout the State.

Several promoters, seeing the popularity of the sport in Maryland, are going in for still greater things and plan to introduce professional soccer, which has never been seen here, to the followers of the game in the coming season. These men figure that there will be more interest taken in a league than in individual games, so are endeavoring to form an intercity league of six clubs, playing Saturdays and Sundays.

The Baltimore Soccer League, largest of the Baltimore amateur circuits, had a very successful season, with attendance records surpassing all previous records and an extremely close race throughout the season. The Baltimore Soccer Club again won the championship, but not until the last few games of the season was the winner decided. Running strong at the heels of the champions were the Knights of Pythias and the Patterson Tigers, who

finished second and third respectively. Saint Patrick's, Sons of Saint George, Carroll, United and Clifton finished in the order named.

The Baltimore Soccer League is operated on Sundays and the games are staged in the public parks, where they are witnessed by large throngs of sport lovers. The deciding game for the championship, played between the Baltimore Soccer Club and the Knights of Pythias, which the former won, 3 to 2, drew a crowd of 15,000 fans to Latrobe Park. This was probably the largest gathering to attend an amateur soccer game in the United States.

GREATER BALTIMORE SOCCER LEAGUE.

By John L. Clarke.

The Third Annual Tournament of the Greater Baltimore Soccer League, under the direction of the Public Athletic League, opened November 6th and closed March 5th. Seven teams entered 117 players. Forty-two games were played in all. Baltimore Soccer Club won its third consecutive victory. Knights of Pythias was a close runner-up. A post-season game between the champions and an All-Star team selected from the other clubs ended in a victory for the All-Stars, 4—1.

	Won.	Lost.	Tied.	Pts.		Won.	Lost.	Tied.	Pts.
Baltimore Soccer Club	9	1	2	20	Sons of St. George	5	7	0	10
Knights of Pythias	8	2	2	18	Clifton	1	11	0	2
Tigers	6	2	4	16	Carroll	1	10	1	1
St. Patricks	6	3	3	15					

Winning team Baltimore Soccer Club: N. Klein, R. Behonik, Mgr. J. Miller, N. O'Donnell, W. Hanna, C. Bauers, A. Swingler, J. Gephardt, Walters, C. Horne, Dixon J. Cox, D. Kohen, J. Donald, C. Lund, H. Jacobs, Taylor.

All stars: H. Bennett (Sons), J. Bremmer (Sons), J. Griggs (St.P.), J. Mack (K.P.), G. Armstrong (St.P.), M. Weiner (K.P.), G. Harvey (K.P.), C. Kaufman (Car.), J. Tutte (Sons), E. Foady (St.P.).

PARK SOCCER TOURNAMENT.

The Junior Soccer Tournament was again conducted on the same basis as last year's with two weight classes, under 95 lbs. and over 95 lbs. A total of 23 teams and 361 players entered the Junior Tournament. Eleven teams with 184 players entered the Senior Novice Tournament—a new feature this year. Thirty-four teams and 545 players entered the Junior and Senior Tournaments.

Fourteen teams with 194 players entered the Junior Intra-Park Tournament at Carroll & Patterson, Clifton, Easterwood, Gwynns Falls, Latrobe, and Swan entered the lists with the intra-park champions for the city championships.

INTRA-PARK CHAMPIONS.

	Jr. 95-Lb. Class.	Jr. Over 95-Lb. Class.
Carroll Park	.....	Superior
Patterson Park	Odd Sox	Patterson Boys Club

INTER-PARK CHAMPIONS

Junior 95-lb. class—Patterson (Odd Sox): B. Simmons, J. Smeyne, I. Beatty, H. Craig, H. Langgood, J. Horst, W. Yavrina, T. Saunders, C. Summers, K. Hopkins, C. Schmalzer, T. Cosicia, J. Wells, T. Deinleim, C. Griss, H. Stieb.

Junior over 95-lb. class—Swan: L. Black, G. Kaufman, G. Cole, W. Lugenball, J. Rafferty, R. Williams, R. Severns, C. Spurrier, J. Stacey, R. Espey, C. Willis, W. Montgomery, R. Burgman, H. Becker.

SENIOR NOVICE SOCCER TOURNAMENT.

Swan d. Knights of Pleasure.....5-1, 1-0
Clifton d. Emmanuel.....3-0, 2-0
True Amer. d. Freebooters..2-0, 1-1, 0-2, 2-0
Clifton d. Easterwood.....3-0, 4-0
Realart d. Gwynns Falls.....1-1, 2-2, 2-0
True Americans d. Swan.....3-1, 2-2, 1-0
Clifton d. Realart.....3-0, 1-0
True Americans d. Clifton.....1-1, 2-0, 4-0

Won by True Americans (Patterson Park): J. Regan, F. Doyle, F. Raime, E. Saunders, C. Jones, E. Wierth, H. Martell, G. McKeever, J. Snyder, D. Groom, A. Phillips, C. Schulte, E. Monroe, V. Law, W. Strobel, W. Weinniger, J. LeBrun, E. Einhehein.

BALTIMORE SOCCER CLUB.

By Buddy Miller, Baltimore.

Not since the introduction of soccer in Maryland has the game enjoyed such a good season as the one closed last Spring. Play started earlier and an abundance of snow coupled with an unusually wet Winter and Spring retarded play to a certain extent and prolonged the finish. Possibly nowhere in the United States has the attendance at the games in Baltimore been equaled.

The Baltimore Soccer Club again won the State championship, while the Knights of Pythias finished second. The Tigers wound up in third place. Saint Patricks, Sons of St. George, Carroll, United and Clifton Clubs finished in the order named.

Competition was keen in the Baltimore Soccer League. The championship game played at Latrobe Park between Baltimore and the Knights was attended by 15,000 fans. Baltimore won, 3 to 2.

Soccer in Maryland has grown tremendously in the past year. Professional soccer will be introduced to the followers of the sport next season. An inter-city league has been formed.

Baltimore Soccer Club, which has held the championship of Maryland since the sport was introduced in this State, took a week's tour, playing at Fall River (Fall River United), 5—1; at Pawtucket (J. & P. Coats) 2—1, and at New York (New York F.C.) 6—2. Despite the fact that the Baltimore team was purely amateur and composed entirely of boys born in Baltimore, as will be seen, their showing against their more experienced and professional opponents was noteworthy.

Every public school in the State of Maryland has a soccer team, under the supervision of the Public Athletic League. The teams are formed anew each season and great rivalry exists among them.

One of the biggest assets in this vicinity is the Maryland Referees' Association. All the officials of the Association are capable men. Several new referees were added this past season and they proved capable. The game in Maryland is conducted on a high plane, and harmony among teams and executives is the keynote throughout the State.

Soccer in Virginia

By I. Hunter, Norfolk, Va.

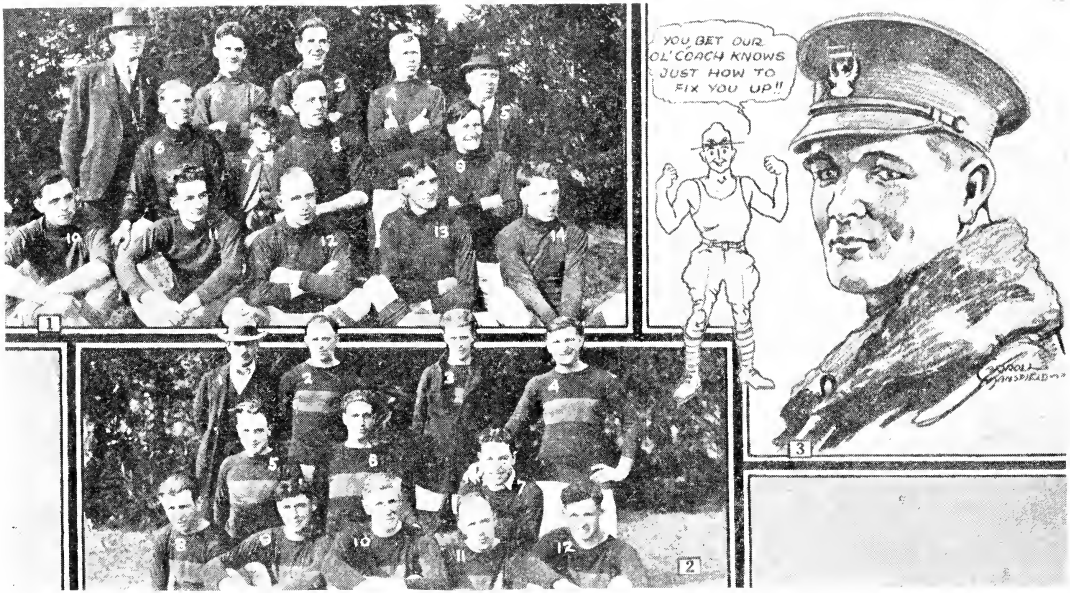
Soccer took a new lease of life in the State of Virginia when the Playgrounds Association inaugurated a grammar school league, comprising ten teams in the City of Norfolk during the month of November, 1921. Prior to the war the game had been introduced at Richmond and Newport News, but the teams disbanded on account of the majority of the members serving with the allied forces. A very successful league was conducted, including all the grammar schools in the city, Jefferson School winning the championship after a replay with Monroe School which finished equal in number of points.

As a result of the grammar school league, a senior league was formed in Norfolk comprising four teams, Norfolk United, Dery Rangers, Redman and Norfolk Scots. The United and Scots tied for first place and the latter won the championship in the replay.

During the season a selected team from Norfolk played Richmond at Richmond, where they lost, 6—3, and a return game at Norfolk resulted in a draw of 2 goals each. Baltimore Soccer Club also visited Norfolk and played a selected team, winning by a score of 6—3.

As a result of the season's play an inter-city league has been formed of teams representing Baltimore, Washington, Newport News, Richmond and Norfolk. Local leagues comprising at least six teams will probably be arranged in Richmond and Norfolk. A start is also likely to be made with the grammar schools at Clifton Forge, where G. H. Burford, formerly of Brockton, Mass., is physical director. The League standing for season 1921 follows:

	W.	T.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Norfolk Scots	5	1	1	23	13	11
United	4	1	2	19	10	9
Redmen	1	2	3	8	10	4
Dery Rangers	1	0	5	5	18	2



(1) NORFOLK (VA.) SCOTS—1, W. R. Brown, Pres.; 2, J. Brown; 3, Boylan; 4, Pillar; 5, Stewart; 6, Hunter; 7, Boylan, Jr.; 8, Robertson; 9, Barbour; 10, Whyte; 11, Mercer; 12, Wright; 13, Howat; 14, Frame. (2) NORFOLK (VA.) UNITEDS—1, Lane; 2, Clancy; 3, McCann; 4, Greenway; 5, Norton; 6, Jefferson; 7, Ledman; 8, Kent; 9, Frew; 10, Chapman; 11, Atkinson; 12, Buckman. (3) George H. Burford, President Southeastern Soccer Foot Ball League.

Soccer Outlook in the Southeast

By George H. Burford, President Southeastern Soccer League.

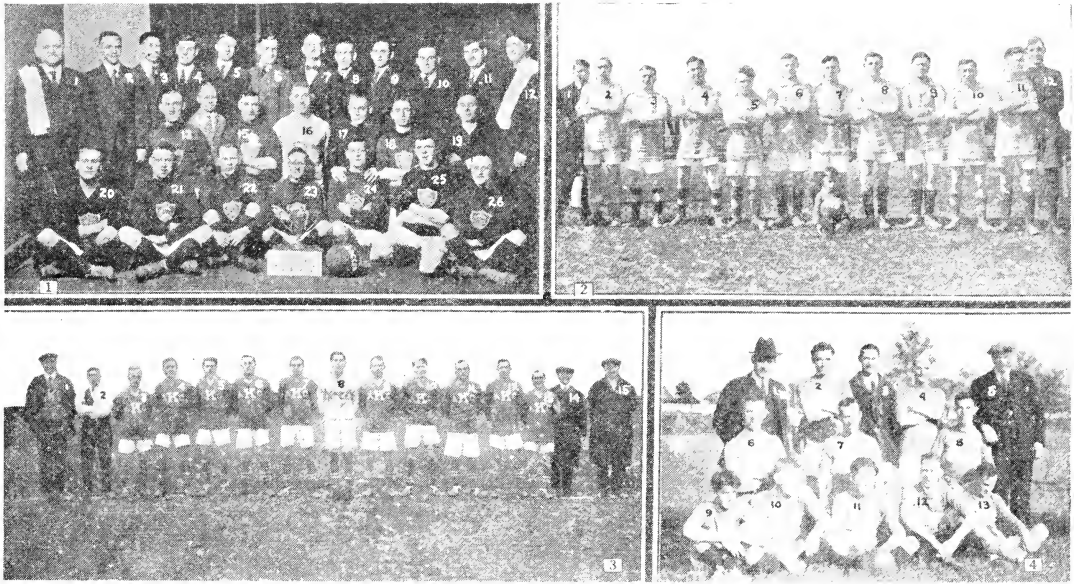
With the formation of the Southeastern Soccer Foot Ball League which will open up this fall, the prospects of soccer gaining by leaps and bounds in this section of the country appear very bright.

During the last twenty-odd years the writer took a keen and active part in aiding to build up the soccer game in the New England States, incidentally introducing the game in the public schools of Brockton, Mass.; and at times the situation was discouraging. Something hard to explain seemed to be holding the game back, but the weather conditions of the winter period were the greatest drawbacks with which the players had to contend.

Here in Virginia, Maryland, Washington, Newport News and district where the new organizations have just been formed, there is every indication of a most promising season ahead. Baltimore is strong for soccer. So is Norfolk, Newport News and Richmond. With the weather conditions in this section of the country much in favor of soccer I look forward to a very successful and interesting season.

Norfolk Naval Training Station is taking up soccer as its major sport this fall and it is fair to assume that in the near future the sailor boys will give a good account of themselves against all comers in the kicking code.

We have organized a fine healthy soccer league for the Southeastern district, embracing the cities of Baltimore, Washington, Richmond, Norfolk, and Newport News. The first annual meeting was held in Washington on August 27, at which a schedule of games for the coming season was adopted and the temporary organization was perfected.



(1) SONS OF ST. GEORGE, AKRON, OHIO, Winners of Beacon Journal Cup—1, Garner; 2, Middleton; 3, Dutton; 4, Watts; 5, Woodhall; 6, Bunn; 7, Mernaugh; 8, Brow; 9, Kain; 10, Guy; 11, Ball; 12, Langley; 13, McPherson; 14, Mascot; 15, Simmons; 16, R. Bunn; 17, Boynton; 18, Matta; 19, Richards; 20, Clark; 21, Smith; 22, Watts; 23, Martin; 24, Hardman; 25, Orr; 26, Simpson. (2) CORNWALL TEAM, AKRON, OHIO—1, Heylock; 2, Harvey; 3, Wells; 4, Triggens; 5, Simmons; 6, Pridwell; 7, Cattran; 8, Heching; 9, Cowley; 10, Williams; 11, Shaughnessy; 12, Wilson; 13, Mascot. (3) KENMORE (OHIO) ATHLETIC CLUB, Akron League—1, McVickers; 2, W. Holmes; 3, S. Holmes; 4, Valentine; 5, R. Denholm; 6, Hunter; 7, J. Denholm; 8, Jones; 9, Crindel; 10, Blackburn; 11, Wilson; 12, Reid; 13, McLain; 14, McGuire; 15, Craig. (4) TOLEDO (OHIO) ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL CLUB—1, C. F. Carson, Pres.; 2, J. Carson; 3, Barrett; 4, Ewen; 5, Walters, Trainer; 6, Brand; 7, Pugued; 8, Hall; 9, R. Carson; 10, Thomson; 11, Keith; 12, McGreagor; 13, Eldridge.

Ohio State Soccer Growth

By Robert Butland.

The season 1921-1922 revealed soccer taking a greater hold in Northern Ohio. The year was the most prosperous one in the history of the game in this State both in the number of teams affiliated with the State Association and also from the financial point of view. Greater interest is being manifested by the public by attendance at games and gate receipts in the National Cup and the Ohio State Cup games in spite of the industrial depression increased more than 200 per cent. over any previous year. Whereas two years ago the leagues affiliated with the association were confined to Cleveland and Akron, we now have affiliations from Youngstown, Toledo, Fremont and Lorain and expect this year to have leagues affiliate with us from Cincinnati, Columbus and Hamilton.

But to place soccer where it properly belongs, as the national winter sport of this country, we have to pay greater attention to school soccer, and with that end in view we have given cups to be competed for by the schools. The Board of Education in Cleveland has recently placed an order for 100 soccer balls for the use of the schools for the coming season.

The competition for the State championship this year was very keen. Both semi-finals ended in draws and had to be replayed and the two teams, the Goodyears of Akron and the Lorains of Lorain, that went into the final, also played to a draw in an overtime game. It was replayed on the following Sunday, with the Goodyears winning, 1 to 0. This is the first time since the formaton of the State Association that the State trophy has gone out of Cleveland and the competition this year in consequence promises to be keener than ever.

Looking over the past years, we have many reasons to be proud of the progress we are making and the future appears very bright. Our great need has been finances to carry on propaganda and send men out to organize the southern part of the State. Judging by the reports that we have received from that section, we ought to be able to have Southern Ohio in organized football during the coming season.

The Ohio State Association will have the honor of entertaining the U.S.F.A. at its annual meeting in Cleveland, 1923, and we purpose to make this event one of which the sport loving public will sit up and take notice.

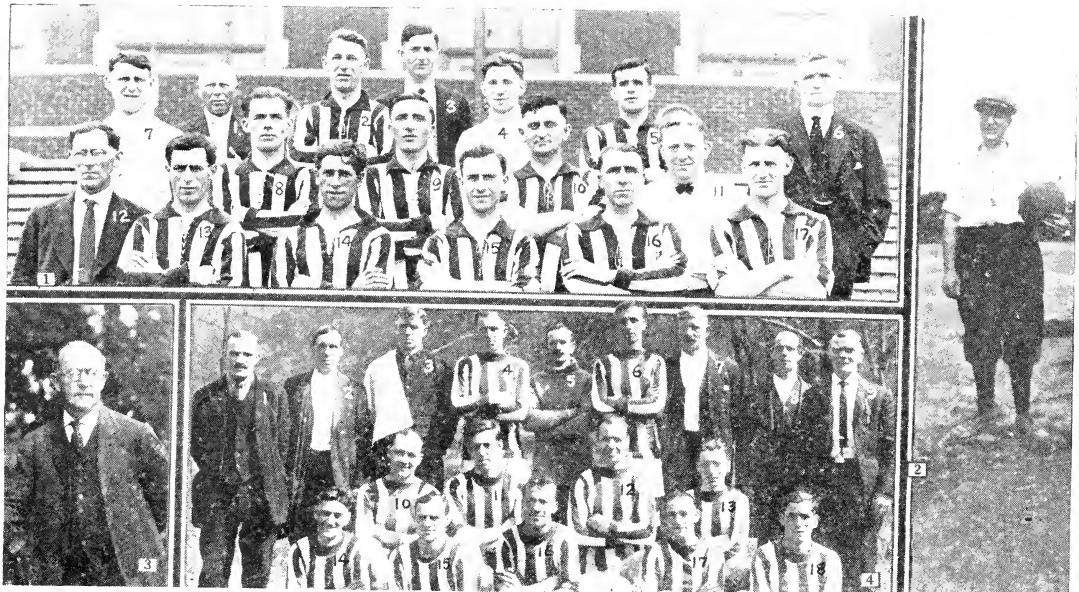
OHIO STATE FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION.

President, R. B. Butland, Cleveland; Vice-President, A. Dorward, Cleveland; Secretary, J. B. Storrie, 93½ Atlas Street, Akron; Treasurer, H. Johns; Delegates, William Angus, R. Harvey, A. McDougal.

By J. B. Storrie.

The Ohio State F.A. in 1921-22 experienced one of the most successful seasons in the history of soccer in the State of Ohio. In the season 1920-21 eleven clubs were affiliated, while in 1921-22 twenty-three clubs joined; so the progress made is very encouraging.

Goodyear F.C. of Akron won the State championship. It defeated the Lorain club, 1 to 0, in the semi-final after Lorain and Kenmore played a drawn battle, Lorain winning 1—0 in the replay. Youngstown and Goodyear also



(1) GOODYEAR F.C., AKRON, OHIO. State Champions—1, Brown; 2, Williams; 3, Smith; 4, Timmis; 5, Jones; 6, McGee; 7, B. McNeil; 8, Ferguson; 9, Chapple; 10, Dikman; 11, J. Ferguson; 12, ———; 13, Chatterfield; 14, Till; 15, McDonald; 16, J. McNeil; 17, Grant. (2) J. B. Storrie, Akron, Ohio, Secretary Ohio State Football Association. (3) H. Johns, Cleveland, Ohio, Treasurer Ohio State Football Association; Secretary Referees' Association; Ohio's Pioneer Player Official and Promoter. (4) AMSTERDAM F.C., Ohio Valley Champions, 1921-22.

played a drawn game and in the replay Goodyear won, 2—1. That brought Lorain and Goodyear into the finals. They played a no-score game and in the replay Goodyear won, 1—0. Owing to the hard efforts the players put forth, the State Association decided to give to the members of both clubs gold medals.

Goodyear F.C. held a banquet at Goodyear Hall and the Ohio State Board was its guest. R. Butland, State President, presented the trophy and medals to the players.

It is our aim to have a still better season in 1922-23. No efforts will be spared to advance the interests of the game. One of the features will be the sending of delegates throughout the State to deliver speeches and present the fine points of soccer in localities that are as yet unfamiliar with it.

OHIO STATE CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES.

FIRST ROUND—Toledo 4, Fremont 1; Lorain 4, Britts 0; Goodyear 3, Firestone 0; Kenmore 2, Sons St. George, Akron 0; Niles 0, Sons St. George, Youngstown 4. SECOND ROUND—Youngstown 1, Mahoning Valley 0; Magyars 1, Ideal Tires 0; Lorain 4, White Motors 1; Goodyear 3, Cornwalls 1; Kenmore 2, Hollands 0. THIRD ROUND—Magyars 6, Toledo 1; Youngstown 5, Sons St. George 0. FOURTH ROUND—Magyars 0, Youngstown 2. SEMI-FINAL—Lorain vs. Kenmore, at Cleveland, no score; replayed at Kenmore, Lorain 1, Kenmore 0; Goodyear vs. Youngstown, no score; replayed, Goodyear 2, Youngstown 1. FINAL—Lorain vs. Goodyear, no score; replayed, Goodyear 1, Lorain 0.

Referees who officiated were: J. Wilson, A. Lawrence, C. Stokes, P. Mayues, J. Jarvis, A. Henry, A. Hamilton, J. B. Storrie, B. Corris, J. Patterson.

CLEVELAND SOCCER LEAGUE.

By W. H. Wilson.

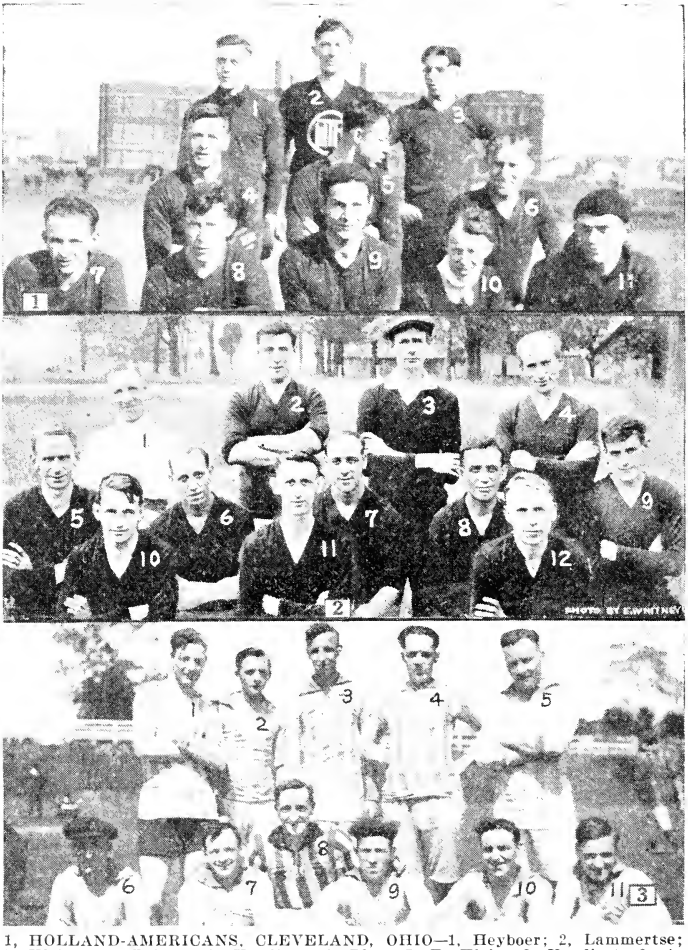
The Cleveland Soccer League, organized for fifteen years, had in season 1921-22 fourteen teams entered. Owing to the large entry two divisions were formed as an experiment, proved workable and will be continued. The competition was keen in both divisions and the standard of play higher than ever before. For the first time in its history the league closed the season with a balance in the treasury.

The clubs finished the season in following order: First Division—White Motors, Lorain, Magyar A team, Ideal Greyhounds, Britannias, American-Hungarians. Second Division—War Veterans, Chagrin Falls, St. Stephens, Holland Americans, Magyar B team, St. Johns Bohemians, American Swiss.

At the annual league meeting, in July, the Executive Board was done away with and all league matters will be handled next season by the president, vice-president and secretary-treasurer as an executive committee. The following officers were elected: W. H. Wilson, president; J. Fable, vice-president; William Angus, secretary-treasurer.

The following eighteen teams have entered for the coming season: White Motors, Lorain, Rocky River, Favorite Knitts, Magyar Team A, American-Hungarians, War Veterans, Tural Culture Club, Fedor Athletics, and St. Stephens, in the first division, and Holland-Americans, Chagrin Falls, St. Johns, Magyar Team B, Banata, American-Hungarian Team B, Lorain Hungarians and Czecho-Slovak F.C., in the second division. The outlook for an unprecedentedly successful season was remarked at the annual league banquet at Hotel Winton August 16.

The annual Cleveland "international" series resulted: Scotch 3, English 2; Scotch 3, Magyars 1; English 4, Hollanders 1, and in the final, Scotch 1, English 1.



1, HOLLAND-AMERICANS, CLEVELAND, OHIO—1, Heyboer; 2, Lammertse; 3, Kleiner; 4, Pekant; 5, Vandiest; 6, Blue; 7, E. Klein; 8, Vandiest; 9, A. Klein; 10, Ringhaver; 11, Panes. (2) ST. PAUL'S FOOTBALL CLUB, FREMONT, OHIO—1, Lilley, Mgr.; 2, Vaughan; 3, Harland; 4, C. Tolhurst, Capt.; 5, Harland; 6, C. Newbould; 7, T. Newbould; 8, Briggs; 9, Bowes; 10, G. Hague; 11, F. Hague; 12, W. Tolhurst. (3) SONS OF ST. GEORGE, TOLEDO, OHIO—1, Wilson; 2, Scott; 3, Wm. Brown; 4, R. Brown; 5, Jones; 6, Vick; 7, Wm. Marshall; 8, Kipple; 9, Green; 10, Whittet; 11, Collins.

CINCINNATI AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.

President, William J. Brown; Vice-President, Harry Rockaway; Treasurer, A. G. Resner; Secretary, John R. Ramsey, 1803 Freeman Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio.

By John R. Ramsey.

Experiencing the most successful season in the history of soccer football in Cincinnati, the race in the Cincinnati and District Soccer Football League during the season 1921-22, was one of the closest ever staged in this section of the state. Three of the six teams, Fourth Intermediate Alumni, Thistles, and Cincinnati Gymnasium and Athletic Club, fought it out right to the finish, the Fourth Intermediate Alumni winning the pennant for the third successive time. Their margin at the finish, however, was but three points over the hustling Thistles and the Cincinnati Gymnasium and Athletic Club.

Until almost the last game the championship was in doubt, but in the deciding game, in which the C.G.& A.C. was confident of taking the honors, the Fourth Intermediate Alumni boys showed a better brand of football, and won a fast, clean game by 3 goals to 1. The record of the F.I.A. for the season is, 8 games won, 1 drawn and 1 defeat, the latter at the hands of the C.G.& A.C. early in the season.

Soccer football is thoroughly established in the grammar grades of the Cincinnati public schools. Last season, as heretofore, Cincinnati was divided into three districts, East Side, Central, and West Side. Each district played a series of interscholastic games, each school playing two games with the other participant. The winners in each district played for the scholastic championship of the city. More than one hundred games were played in the fall of 1921 and great interest was aroused by the competition, which included a large number of exceptionally well-played contests.

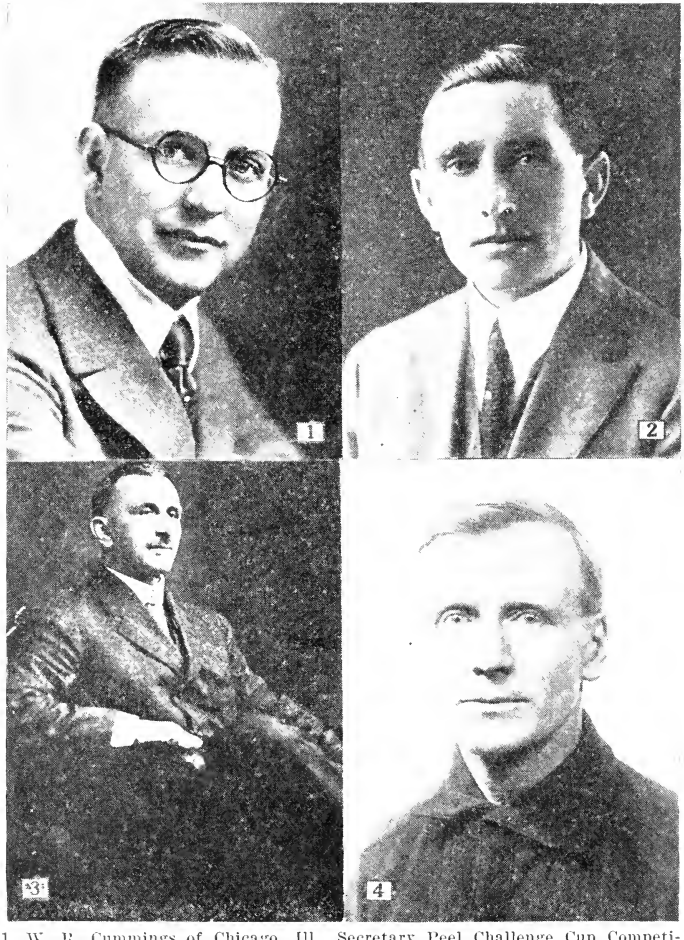
I believe one of the main reasons for our great success is that the game has been taken up by a greater number of students. We were successful also in getting the game organized in the University of Cincinnati and in six of the high schools of our county. It is the intention to organize a City High School Soccer League as well as a league for the County High School.

On November 4 and 5, 1921, the officers of the Hamilton County Y.M.C.A. conducted a soccer football tournament for the high schools at Hamilton County. This proved a great success, six teams being entered. The Mount Healthy High School football team was the winner in this competition.

Last fall an inter-class soccer league was formed at the University of Cincinnati in which six teams were entered. Most of these players learned the rudiments of soccer in our public schools. At the conclusion of the competition a team was selected to represent the institution. This team played four games, winning 2, with 1 draw and 1 defeat. I feel sure that they would compare favorably with any of the Eastern college teams as many of the players belong to the best clubs in the city of Cincinnati. The team played four games during the season, defeating Middletown 5—1, Fourth Intermediate Alumni 1—0, and playing them a 0—0 tie. In the Thistle F.C. game, the latter was victorious, 6—1.

Standing of Cincinnati and District Football League:

Club.	P.	W.	D.	L.	Pts.
Fourth Inter. Alumni	10	8	1	1	17
Cin. Gym. & A. C...	9	7	0	2	14
Thistle F.C.	9	7	0	2	14
Northwest Gym.....	10	4	0	6	8
Caledonians	10	2	1	7	5
Prince	10	0	0	10	0



1, W. R. Cummings of Chicago, Ill., Secretary Peel Challenge Cup Competition. 2, Arthur Sale, Vice-President Michigan Soccer Association. 3, John C. Meyers of St. Louis, Pioneer Soccer Enthusiast and Promoter. (4) George Young of Philadelphia. One of the Premier Soccer Arbiters of the United States, who refereed the National Cup Final at St. Louis, Sunday, March 19, 1922.

Illinois State Football Association

President, Alec Currie; Vice-President, William Cummings, Sr.; Secretary-Treasurer, Fairley McBeth.

Two leagues with one division each and one league with two divisions, comprising some thirty-two clubs, ran off their fall games of 1921-22 uninterruptedly under the jurisdiction of the Illinois State Football Association, as did several of the high school leagues in Chicago and vicinity. Unfortunately the spring games became quite drawn out incident to the large number of replays in the various cup competitions and several of the leagues had to suspend operations without playing their full schedules, although the winners in all cases were properly established before the season was terminated owing to the torrid weather conditions.

The leaders and second place team in the Chicago Soccer League, the major league of Chicago, proved to be none others than the champions and runners-up in the Peel Cup Competition, namely Olympia S.F.C., composed entirely of American-born players, and the Pullman A.F.C.; while the Olsen Cup emblematic of the Chicago and District Soccer League championship went to the fast traveling North Shore F.C. of Evanston, under the leadership of Captain Alec Currie, the newly elected President of the Illinois State Football Association and for many years recognized as one of Chicago's leading half-backs as a member of the old McDuff and Campbell Rover clubs, and tutor of the famous Bromley brothers.

The first division of the International League and the John A. Gauger Cup and medals were won by the Sparta-Union S.F.C., carrying on their roster an entirely native born Bohemian-American lineup of the neat, short-passing, very cleanly but aggressive type. In the second division of the International League, the Swedish-American A.A. club carried away the A. G. Spalding & Bros. silver loving cup and medals.

Due to business pressure W. R. Cummings declined to accept again the offices of Secretary-Treasurer in the major league of the Illinois S.F.A. Nevertheless the family name is still honored in Illinois soccer, for Bill's father, Wm. Cummings, Sr., was elected to the vice-presidency of the I.S.F.A. Fairley McBeth, a former Toronto, Ontario, player, now connected with the Bricklayers' S.F.C. of Chicago, was unanimously elected to the offices surrendered by the long-service occupant.

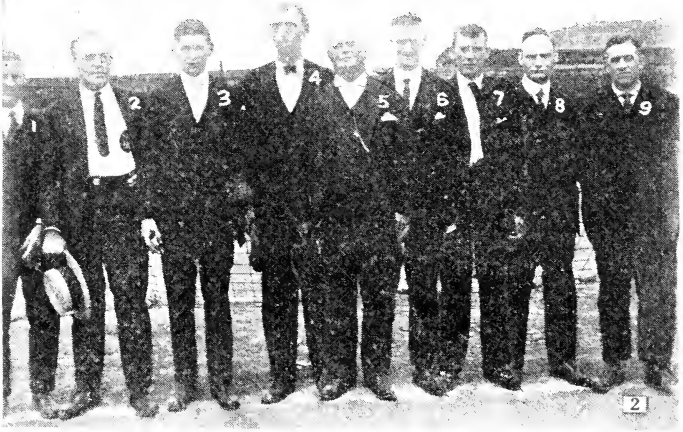
PEEL CHALLENGE CUP COMPETITION.

President, Harry H. Fettes; Vice-President, Charles Stout; Secretary-Treasurer, W. R. Cummings.

By W. R. Cummings.

The most successful season in its history was enjoyed in 1921-22 by the Peel Challenge Cup Competition, both from a financial point of view and the closeness of all the major games played, thereby setting out the wonderful alertness and progressiveness of the twenty-nine clubs which entered the Western soccer classic.

Two outstanding features include the fact there was not a single protest brought before the Commission, and the famous red-jerseyed Pullmans were defeated in the replayed final for the first time since the inception of the Peel Cup championships, and then only after playing a two-hour 2—2 tie in the first



(1) SPARTA-UNION TEAM, Champions International Soccer Football League of Chicago, Ill.—1, T. Zidek, Vice-President; 2, J. Krejcha, Mgr.; 3, Braun; 4, P. Ruzicka; 5, Swarckoff; 6, A. Piskule, Treasurer; 7, Jas. Padour, President; 8, Zidlicky; 9, Turek; 10, F. Ruzicka; 11, Trojanek; 12, C. Fencl; 13, Rubin; 14, J. Fencl; 15, Ton. (2) ILLINOIS STATE REFEREES—1, Steinberger; 2, Frische; 3, Haines; 4, J. Johnston, President 1922-23; 5, McKenzie; 6, Gunnell; 7, McKean; 8, J. Wood, Secretary-Treasurer; 9, Benson.

game with the thermometer registering 95 degrees in the shade, and no shade. They were defeated for the first time in a final in the replayed game at Pullman by the Olympia S.F.C. 3 goals to 2. Not one of Olympia's five goals in the two final games resulted from direct shots at goal, all being of the slapback variety, Olympia's winning marker resulting from a clearance of fullback Dixon of the Pullmans which struck Vidano, the famous Joliet "Flying Wop," full in the face and bounding back into the net. This, however, does not cloud the wonderful team play of the victors, for the long, rangy down-staters were at their best and it was forecordained that the "unlucky car builders" should surrender the cup after so many years' possession. The first game was staged on the Bricklayers' field at the White Sox Annex and the replay at Pullman before the largest crowds that ever attended the Peel Cup soccer derby.

The large financial returns to the Peel Cup hospital fund proved opportune in view of the serious injuries sustained last season by several players, close to $1,000 having been expended to provide medical aid rendered during their time of incapacitation.

Result of games played in the competition, together with official referees, follow:

Home Club.		Opponent.		Referee.
St. George	2	Alverno Maroons	2	P. Conitier.
Chicago Hungarians 2d	3	Chicago Hungarians 1st	4	William Bentham.
Sparta Union 2d	1	Victoria 1st	2	John Leech.
Sparta Union 3d	0	Sparta Union 1st	4	A. McKenzie.
Roseland	2	Vikings	0	R. Shanks.
Jugo-Slavia	4	Norwegian 2d	0	R. McMahon.
Corinthians	1	Y.M.H.A.	0	T. W. Trenter.
Swedish 3d	0	Sparta Union 1st	1	(Forfeited).
Alverno Maroons	1	St. George	1	P. Conitier (Replay).
Gary	1	Victoria 2d	0	J. Trizicka (Forfeited).
Victoria 1st	2	North Shore	4	T. W. Trenter.
Swedish-American 2d	1	Jugo-Slavia	2	R. McMahon.
Ulster United	2	Norwegian 1st	2	C. Donaghy.
*Hungarian 1st	2	Corinthians	0	A. McKenzie.
Norwegian 1st	2	Ulster United	1	C. Donaghy.
St. George	2	Alverno Maroons	3	P. Conitier (2d Replay).
Gary	6	Alverno Maroons	0	W. Napier.
Olympia	12	Jugo-Slavia	0	A. McKenzie.
Bricklayers	4	Pullman	7	J. Johnston.
Thistles	4	Corinthians	1	D. McKean.
North Shore	0	Canadian Club	0	P. Gemmill.
Swedish 1st	2	Sparta Union 1st	1	J. Steinberger.
Canadian Club	4	North Shore	0	P. Gemmill (Replay).
Norwegian-American	1	Roseland	0	P. Gemmill (Forfeited).
Harvey	2	Rangers	4	D. McKean.
Gary	2	Olympia	4	J. W. Wood.
Rangers	7	Norwegian 1st	0	P. Gemmill.
Pullman	2	Canadian Club	1	J. Johnston.

*Forfeited to Corinthians, account Hungarians playing five ineligible players.

SEMI-FINALS.

Thistles	1	Olympia	2	J. Johnston.
Pullman	0	Rangers	0	W. Napier.
Pullman	2	Rangers	1	W. Napier (Replay).

FINAL.

Olympia	**2**	Pullman	2	W. Napier (Ex. half hr).
Pullman	2	Olympia	3	W. Napier (Replay).

Linesmen, J. W. Wood and J. Sternberger.

CHICAGO AND DISTRICT SOCCER LEAGUE.

Affiliated with the Illinois State Football Association.

President, George Lawrence; Vice-President, James McFadzean; Secretary-Treasurer, Jack Rose.

By Jack Rose.

Just previous to the expected opening of the 1921-1922 soccer season five of the six clubs in the first division drew away to form a different league, leaving the remaining Gary club, and the four entries from the second division to carry on the work for the Chicago and District Soccer League.

This league was the first organization in Illinois to foster the grand old game, and in rallying to keep the C.& D. intact the components of the 1921-1922 league struggled in order that the pioneer soccer body of the State should not go down to defeat before the indifference of the other teams in the Illinois State.

The defection of those first division teams so soon before the opening of the season naturally led to a great delay in beginning the schedule, and when the schedule was officially opened it was very unfortunate that Sunday after Sunday should bring rainy weather, which further served to delay the playing of the championship games. To such an extent was the playing schedule impaired that it was not until the end of June that the championship was finally determined.

As soon as the first and second places were decided, the games still remaining to be played were called off with the consent of the teams concerned.

The schedule was well contested and it was not until each team had only one or two games to play that the medal winners were evident.

Earlier in the season Gary had appeared to possess the best team, and far into the season were picked to win gold medals. The suspension of two of their players, however, weakened them to such an extent that North Shore was able to replace them in the forecasts of the soccer prophets. The North Shore ultimately received first honors in the C.& D. championship race.

There was a strenuous fight for second place at various times of the season, different teams appearing to have the best chance. The Maple Leafs finally nosed out the 122d Field Artillery and received silver medals.

One net result of the 1921-1922 soccer season, insofar as it relates to the Illinois District, was that the struggle to perpetuate the pioneer soccer league had aroused the admiration of the rest of the teams in the city.

That such is the case is evidenced at the end of the season, when several of the leading teams of other leagues affiliated with the Chicago and District Soccer League, assuring the C.& D. League of a successful 1922-1923 season.

Standings for the Chicago and District Soccer League, 1921-1922, are as follows:

Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.	Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
North Shore*	12	2	0	30	8	24	Ulster United	4	6	4	14	33	12
Maple Leafs	8	3	2	32	17	18	Y.M.H.A.*	4	5	3	17	12	11
122d Field Art.	7	4	3	20	18	17	Jugo-Slavia	3	9	2	12	36	7
Gary*	6	5	1	21	13	13	Roseland†	1	4	2	12	20	3

*Gary forfeited one game to North Shore; Y.M.H.A. forfeited one game to North Shore. †Roseland withdrew before completion of season, crediting all other teams with a win (2 points).

CHICAGO INTERNATIONAL SOCCER FOOTBALL LEAGUE.

FINAL STANDING.

CUP GAMES.

Club.	Won.	Lost.	Draw.	Pts.	Club.	Won.	Lost.	Draw.	Pts.
Sparta-Union ...	3	0	1	7	Hungarians	1	1	2	4
Victoria	3	1	0	6	Norwegians	1	2	1	3

LEAGUE GAMES.

FIRST DIVISION.

Sparta-Union ..	8	0	2	27	6	18	Norwegians ...	6	4	0	18	26	12
Hungarians	7	2	1	24	26	15	Victoria	3	5	2	21	16	8

SECOND DIVISION.

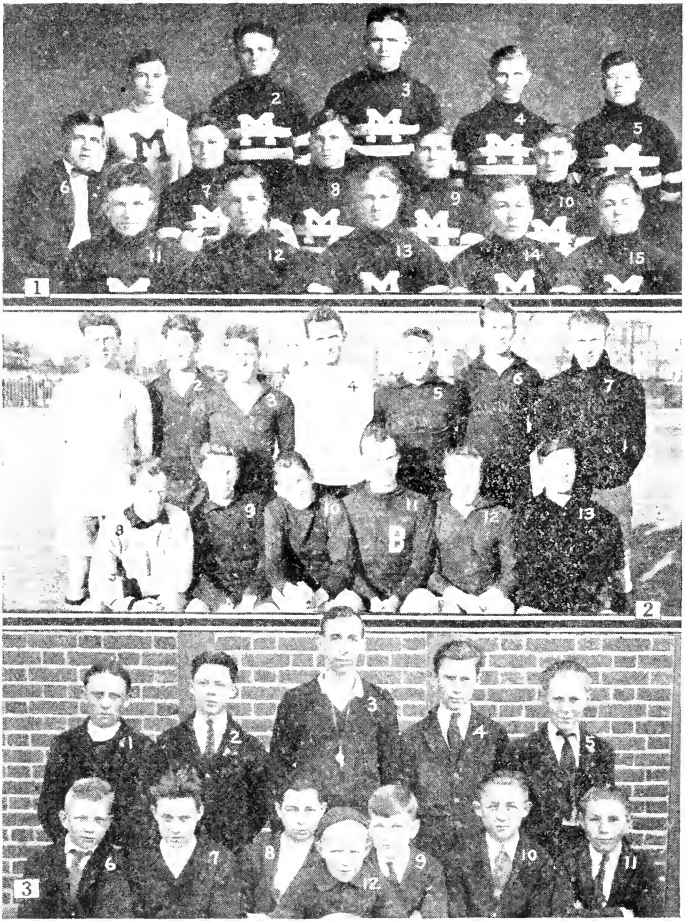
Swedish 3d.....11	1	0	36	7	22	Sparta-Union 3d	4	6	2	22	26	10
Sparta-Union 2d	8	2	2	37	19	18	Norwegian 2d..	2	8	2	19	37	6
Lake Forest....	7	3	1	28	24	15	Victoria 2d.....	0	11	0	11	61	0
Hungarian 2d..	4	5	3	26	18	11							

CHICAGO SOCCER LEAGUE.

Olympia 12	..	2	38	15	26	Bricklayers	4	7	3	19	26	11
Pullman	8	3	2	23	21	18	Canadian Club.	3	7	3	22	29	9
Rangers*	7	5	2	24	13	16	Harvey	2	7	4	16	34	8
Swed-Amer. I..	6	4	4	40	34	16	Thistles	2	8	3	19	29	7

*Rangers F.C. stand suspended from League.

1, Jack Johnston of Chicago, President of Illinois State Referees. 2, Allis-Chalmers, State Champions of Wisconsin. 3, Hungarian Soccer Team of Milwaukee, Wis. 4, A. R. Schmitz, Manager Simmons Bed Co. Soccer Team, Kenosha, Wis.



(1) MYO ATHLETIC CLUB SOCCER TEAM, of the East St. Louis Municipal Soccer League—1, P. Joergenson; 2, Hoffarth; 3, Walker, Capt.; 4, L. Busekrus; 5, D. Williamson; 6, M. Kehoe, Mgr.; 7, E. Joergensen; 8, Newgent; 9, G. Busekrus; 10, Winkelman; 11, Blake; 12, Aldrige; 13, F. Joergensen; 14, J. Williamson; 15, H. Joergensen. (2) BALTIMORE SOCCER CLUB, BALTIMORE, MD., Champions Greater Baltimore Soccer League—1, Walters; 2, Klein; 3, Bauers; 4, Kohen; 5, Miller; 6, Horne; 7, Swingler; 8, Cox; 9, O'Donnell; 10, Gebhardt; 11, Behonik; 12, Taylor; 13, Jacobs. (3) ODD SOX, PATTERSON PARK, BALTIMORE, MD., Lightweight Champions Park Soccer Tournament—1, Denlein; 2, Smeyne; 3, W. Shaffer, Coach; 4, Wills; 5, Summers; 6, Craig; 7, Saunders; 8, Langgood; 9, Simmons; 10, Streb; 11, Schaefer; 12, W. Craig, Mascot.

St. Louis Municipal League

The Municipal League championship of St. Louis was decided by elimination contests among the leaders of the various divisions. The final series was played between the St. Leo F.C. of Fairground No. 2 Division and the Hense F.C. of the Sherman Park Division. St. Leos won the first game, 2—1. The Henses got revenge in the second contest by winning, 4—2. In the third and final game St. Leos won the league championship by triumphing over the Henses, 3—1.

In the junior title series, St. Marks and St. Matthews each won a game. The score in both matches was 1—0. In the deciding game, the St. Matthews earned the title of junior champions of the Muny League by winning, 2—1. The youngsters average about fourteen years of age, and show great promise of becoming future stars of the game.

FAIRGROUND No. 2 DIVISION.

Club.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.	Club.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
St. Leos	9	3	4	22	Trumbulls	5	6	4	14
Ben Millers	7	6	3	17	Paulians	3	9	4	10
Prendergast	6	6	3	15					

FAIRGROUND No. 3 DIVISION.

DeAndreis	16	0	2	34	Kain	6	11	0	12
Bailey	7	7	2	16	Laclede	3	14	0	6

FAIRGROUND No. 4 DIVISION.

St. Matthews	13	3	2	28	Hamilton-Brown	7	8	2	16
Modern Woodmen	11	6	0	22	St. Liborius	2	16	0	4

CARONDELET PARK DIVISION.

Schumacher	17	0	1	35	Murphy Playgrounds	4	13	1	9
Eckhardts	9	8	1	19	Butler Bros.	4	13	1	9

SHERMAN PARK DIVISION.

Hense	11	2	4	26	Paul Muellers	6	6	5	17
Cooperative Assn.	9	4	4	22	British-Canadians	1	15	1	3

FOREST PARK No. 1 DIVISION.

Mercantile Trust	12	1	5	29	Nat. Bank of Com.	4	8	6	14
Merchants-Laclede	7	5	6	20	Liberty Central	2	11	5	9

FOREST PARK No. 2 DIVISION.

St. Marks	10	2	6	26	Mahons	9	9	6	12
Shaw Marble	10	2	6	26	Electrical Workers	3	13	2	8

LEMP PARK DIVISION.

De Paul	11	1	4	26	St. Francis de Sales	7	8	0	14
St. Agatha	8	6	4	20	Our Lady of Sorrows	3	14	0	6

FAIRGROUND JUNIOR DIVISION.

St. Matthew	10	5	3	23	St. Leo	5	5	7	17
Newstead & Lee	9	5	4	22	St. Augustine	2	11	4	8

SHERMAN PARK JUNIOR DIVISION.

St. Mark	14	2	1	29	Graham Plumbing	6	8	2	14
Hamilton A.C.	9	7	1	19	St. Malachy	2	14	0	4

(1) ST. LEO'S, Municipal Soccer Champions, St. Louis and Memphis—1, McGann; 2, Fitzgerald; 3, Burke; 4, Bub; 5, McMahon; 6, Drew; 7, Farmer; 8, Clark; 9, Klostermann, Mgr.; 10, Kincaly; 11, Prevallet; 12, Rich; 13, Burke; 14, Walkinford; 15, Carroll; 16, Hichcock; 17, Dooley. (2) HENSE SOCCER TEAM, St. Louis Municipal League—1, Houlihan; 2, F. Signaigo; 3, W. Hense, Jr., Mgr.; 4, Phelan; 5, Neaf; 6, Schurman; 7, Higgins; 8, E. Signaigo; 9, Delaney; 10, W. Hense; 11, Gillan; 12, Cummings; 13, Brady; 14, Mitchell; 15, Rooney; 16, Flavin. (3) MERCHANTS' LACLEDE NATIONAL BANK, ST. LOUIS, MO.—1, Barada; 2, Greenberg; 3, Morrissey; 4, Garvey, Mgr.; 5, Kilcoyne; 6, Quinlan, Trainer; 7, G. Garvey; 8, J. O'Reilly; 9, O'Connell; 10, Stafford; 11, R. Garvey; 12, O'Brien; 13, O'Mara. (4) WEST FRANKFORT F.C., Southern Illinois Champions—1, J. Smith, Trainer; 2, Richards; 3, J. Thompson; 4, Willetts; 5, D. Thompson; 6, Atkinson; 7, Philips; 8, Davison, Trainer; 9, Carrol; 10, A. Anderson; 11, R. Smith; 12, T. Anderson; 13, Crawford.

ST. LEOS, ST. LOUIS MUNY CHAMPIONS.

St. Leos won the Municipal Soccer championship of St. Louis for the season 1921-1922. This was accomplished after a season of the hardest play known to Muny followers. The Leos had the battle of their young lives to win the divisional pennant.

In the semi-final they defeated the De Paul team on Saturday, came back Sunday and held the St. Matthews to a tie after two hours of play, and the following Saturday defeated the St. Matthews. In the finals the Henses were favored to win over the Leos, but the latter surprised their followers as well as others by defeating the Henses in the first game; the following day the Henses defeated the Leos, which made a third game necessary, and on the following Saturday the Leos defeated the Henses 3 goals to 1 for the city "muny" championship.

The next day the intercity championship between St. Louis and Memphis started, St. Leos, representing St. Louis, twice defeating Memphis. To win the two titles the St. Leos were forced to play nine games in four weeks. St. Leos were again managed by George J. Klosterman.

ST. LOUIS SOCCER LEAGUE.

This organization is represented by four teams of professional players and includes the best football talent of the Mound City. The Scullin Steel F.C. not only led the league but by defeating the Todd Shipyards F.C., 3—2, in the final for the National Challenge Cup, became champion of the United States. The DeAndreis F.C. finished behind the leader by only two points, while the Ben Millers braced towards the close of the season, and finished only three points behind the leaders. These three teams and St. Louis Screw Co. F.C. were evenly balanced and upsets in the course of the campaign were many. The final standing of clubs in the league was as follows:

Club.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Club.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.	Goals F.	Goals A.
Scullins Steel	10	6	5	25	40	28	Ben Miller	8	7	6	22	37	41
DeAndreis	9	7	5	23	36	33	St. L. Screw	4	11	6	14	28	39

ST. LOUIS-MEMPHIS INTERCITY MATCHES.

The teams winning the respective championships of the Municipal Leagues in the cities of St. Louis and Memphis, played a series of games to decide the amateur championship of the two municipalities. These contests brought together the St. Leo F.C. of St. Louis and the Young Men's Institute F.C. of Memphis. The first game was played in St. Louis, the St. Leos winning by the topheavy score of 11 goals to 0. However, the game was better contested than the score would indicate.

In the second game, the St. Leos journeyed to Memphis and again defeated the Young Men's Institute in a well played match, 2—0, thus earning the intercity title of municipal champions. The municipalities of both these cities may well be congratulated on the spirit of public welfare which prompted them to foster soccer among the youth of their cities. They have not only furnished playing fields, but have appointed salaried city officials to arrange and manage the contests. Other cities may well follow their example.

(1) SCHUMACHER SOCCER TEAM, ST. LOUIS, MO.—1, Rochow; 2, Raack; 3, Nolan; 4, Brannon; 5, Sucher, Mgr.; 6, Sprinz; 7, Minnahan; 8, Bayer; 9, Schrader; 10, Steutermann; 11, W. Schumacher, Owner; 12, Stockmann; 13, Burke; 14, O'Neal; 15, Kelso; 16, Hancock; 17, Fink; 18, Bocknicek; 19, Bonifer. (2) VENGACO'S, ST. LOUIS, MO. (3) MINERAL REFINING & CHEMICAL CORPORATION, ST. LOUIS, MO.—1, Rodriguez; 2, Menendez; 3, J. Gonzalez; 4, L. Garcia; 5, P. Garcia; 6, J. Fernandez; 7, A. Gonzalez; 8, C. Menendez; 9, M. Garcia; 10, Granda; 11, H. Fernandez. (4) GILLESPIE (ILL.) SOCCER CLUB—1, D. Connell; 2, Gibson; 3, J. Connell; 4, Scully; 5, Calderwood; 6, Young; 7, Walker; 8, Taylor; 9, Bridges; 10, Trainor; 11, McGuire; 12, H. Fulton; 13, McNair; 14, J. Hall; 15, D. Fulton. (5) CLINTON (MD.) FOOTBALL CLUB—1, ————; 2, McLean; 3, Fisher; 4, Lundie; 5, Tallant; 6, Hollawell; 7, Anderson; 8, Owens, Trainer; 9, Dunsmore, Trainer; 10, Durham; 11, Ross; 12, McLush; 13, McMahon; 14, Ross; 15, Ireland; 16, McGillivray.

VEGACO S.C. CLAIMS INDEPENDENT TITLE.

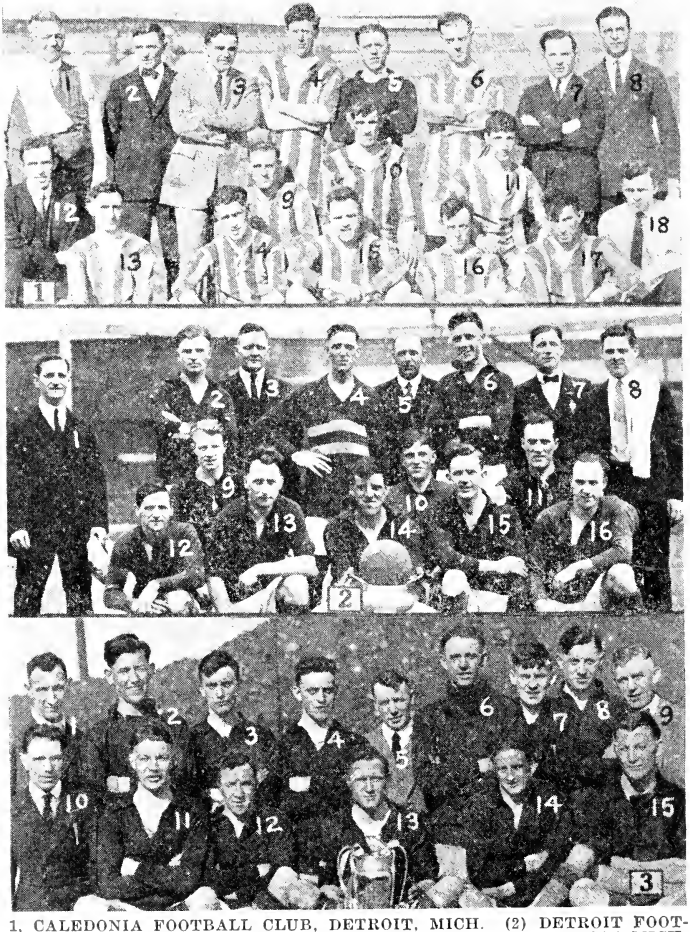
By Rowland J. Norman.

The Vegaco Soccer Club won the independent championship of St. Louis in season 1921-22, finishing the year with a record of 18 victories in 22 games. It lays claim to the independent title of the Southwest. Of the four defeats, but one was in a game on the road, that to Belleville Rangers by a 1—0 score. The goal scoring record of 153 in 22 games is believed to be a record for the United States. In these games the Vegaco's opponents scored but 30 goals.

Formerly under the name of Hoover Sweepers, the team was handled by the writer, who was the organizer of the Olympian Soccer League the previous season, and managed the Hoovers in that league campaign. Midget Nolan, center, scored 34 of the Vegacos' goals last year and Frank Healey 27.

In season 1922-23 the Vegacos will participate in the newly organized Olympian professional league, affiliated with the U.S.F.A. through the Missouri State Association, whose games will be played at Y.M.C.A. Park. The team's complete record last season follows:

Vegaco 0, Belleville Rangers 1; 15, Angelica A.C. 2; 4, O'Fallon Parks 1; 12, North Ends 0; 9, Olympian All-Stars 3; 1, Belleville Rangers 0; 4, Kohlman A.C. 1; 5, Scottish All-Stars, Alton 1; 9, Angelica A.C. 2; 9, Eugene A.C. 1; 9, Missouri A.C. 1; 6, Kohlman A.C. 1; 5, Schumachers Independent 3; 2, Thomas Stars 0; 18, Elizabeth Muny Champs, East St. Louis 0; 10, Alton United 0; 14, All-Stars 1; 10, West Ends 0; 1, Olympian All-Stars 2; 2, O'Fallon Parks 4; 7, British Canadians 1; 1, Heuses 5.



1, CALEDONIA FOOTBALL CLUB, DETROIT, MICH. (2) DETROIT FOOTBALL CLUB, DETROIT, MICH. (3) SCARLET RUNNERS, DETROIT, MICH.

Soccer in Michigan

Michigan Soccer Association, President, A. Patterson; Vice-President, Arthur Sale; Secretary, T. S. Smith; Treasurer, C. Dalgleish; Delegates-at-large, R. Tulloch, L. Emsley, A. Biggar.

Detroit and District League: President, J. T. Lilleyman; Vice-President, J. B. Stark; Secretary, Ellis Berry; Treasurer, L. Emsley.

By Arthur Sale.

Looked at from every angle, the 1921-22 season was admitted on every hand to be the most successful one in the history of soccer in the Wolverine State. From a playing point of view the quality of the contests reached a much higher plane of efficiency, indicated by the presence of a Michigan club, Detroit Caledonians, in the national Western final, the only amateur organization to reach the penultimate stage of either of the two divisions. Numerically also, a substantial advance was registered over any previous year, and the financial returns, the barometer of public support, was likewise of a gratifying nature.

While Detroit continues to be the great soccer center of the state, and incidentally the greatest soccer city in the country, organizations at other points have sprung up and affiliated with the state association. In addition to the twelve clubs of the Detroit and District league, affiliations were received from Essex County (Canadian) Association, Gogebic County Association, Toledo and District League, as well as individual clubs from Flint, Battle Creek, Lansing and Pontiac, and it is expected that the number will be further augmented before the fall season opens, as efforts are being made to foster the sport at other promising centers.

Among the many achievements of the Michigan State Association during the season, prior place should be given to the work accomplished in consolidating the soccer efforts of the city educational and recreation authorities, thereby making soccer the leading sport in the public schools of Detroit. No fewer than two hundred and forty properly organized clubs of the sixth to eighth grade classes, divided into leagues and divisions, and playing a regular schedule of games, participated in the soccer activities of Detroit's elementary schools, and notwithstanding the difficulties that arose through dearth of experienced coaches and qualified officials, the schedule was completed, thanks in part to the assistance of various members of the state association, who handled many of the games and addressed various gatherings of teachers, arbiters and players on the laws and principles of the game. In addition the association furnished a handsome trophy to stimulate interest in the competition, publicly presenting it to the Ellis School team, which won the eighth grade final, defeating Davison School in an overtime contest. The Board of Education affiliated these two hundred and forty clubs with the state body, which in turn registered them with the U.S.F.A. thus making them an integral part of organized soccer. Steps are being taken to introduce soccer as a major sport of the Detroit high schools, and with the chairmanship of the school and junior soccer committee in the hands of a Detroiter, State President A. Patterson, the assistance that should be forthcoming from that source should do much to carry through the project.

In the premier local series, Detroit and District league tournament, Roses F.C. annexed the championship of the senior section, and Ulster A.C. undefeated during the entire schedule, finished on top of the second division. Final standing:

FIRST DIVISION.

Club.	W.	L.	T.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.	Club.	W.	L.	T.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Roses	8	2	0	24	15	16	Walkerville	4	5	1	17	16	9
Caledonia	7	3	0	16	10	14	Flint	4	6	0	16	22	8
Detroit	5	5	0	24	17	10	Pontiac	1	8	1	7	24	3

SECOND DIVISION.

Ulster	8	0	2	27	4	18	Hudson Essex	3	6	1	15	28	7
Scarlet Runners	8	1	1	26	12	17	Campbells	2	7	1	24	28	5
Cornubians	5	3	2	28	19	12	Magyars	0	9	1	5	37	1

A record number of entries, seventeen, was received for the Michigan State competition, Caledonia F.C. beating Detroit F.C. in the final game after a previous session that lasted two hours without a decision. The winners of this series scored 14 goals to their opponents' 3.

Complete record in this competition:

PRELIMINARY ROUND—Windsor S.O.E. 1, Fisher Body 0 (won by protest). FIRST ROUND—Detroit F.C. 2, Hudson Essex 0; Windsor Pilgrims 1, Flint I.F.L. 2; Cornubians 1, Border City 2; Scarlet Runners 0, Walkerville 2; Toledo 0, Flint City 5; Lansing 2, Campbells 2; *Campbells 2, Lansing 0; Caledonia 3, Windsor S.O.E. 0; Roses 2, Ulster 1. SECOND ROUND—Walkerville 1, Flint City 0; Flint I.F.L. 5, Campbells 0; Border City 0, Detroit F.C. 0; *Detroit 1, Border City 0; Roses 2, Caledonia 4. SEMI-FINAL—Detroit 1, Flint I.F.L. 0; Caledonia 2, Walkerville 0. FINAL—Detroit 1, Caledonia 1; *Caledonia 4, Detroit 0.

*Replay.

Two years ago a players' mutual benefit society was organized under the auspices of the Michigan State Association, for the purpose of rendering financial and medical assistance to any player who may have been injured during a game. As a nucleus of the fund each player registered himself for benefits with the commission, and paid an annual fee of $1.00. Through the generosity of Herbert & Lance Company of Detroit, a magnificent trophy was offered for competition and the entire proceeds of the tournament turned over to the benevolent fund. In the first year of its operation the fund extended relief to the amount of more than $400, the full cost of all medical and surgical treatment of injured players being paid, and in addition several monetary grants were made where circumstances warranted. Last year considerably more was paid out, notwithstanding which the season closed with a substantial balance in bank.

The competition was run simultaneously with the Detroit and District League tournament, the final game being won by Scarlet Runners, a junior organization which defeated some of the strongest clubs in the district, and although composed principally of graduates of school soccer, is regarded as a team that will make a name for itself in the near future.

Soccer in Wisconsin

By J. Meares.

Soccer in Wisconsin enjoyed a highly successful season in 1921-22. A total of ninety-eight games was played. The State League was made up of eight well-balanced teams, representing English, Irish, Scottish, Scandinavian, Hungarian, German and American nationalities.

Outside of the high quality of the play, the most pleasing feature was the harmony which existed among the teams and the splendid sportsmanship manifested by the players of the various nationalities represented. The race for the championship was so close that a deciding game was necessary to decide the championship. This match was played between the Allis-Chalmers team, composed of Germans and Americans, and the Falk Co. team, made up of English and Scottish players. The Allis-Chalmers aggregation was victorious by 6 goals to 2, but the goal totals do not accurately represent the comparative strength of the teams. Although the Allis-Chalmers team was superior on the day's play, a heavy rain had left the ground in rather soft condition and the victors, being the heavier team, had a considerable advantage and showed to much better advantage than the lighter Falk combination.

(1) O'MEARA-GREENS, DENVER, COLO., Colorado League Champions, 1921-22.—1, J. R. Taylor (League Pres.); 2, F. Bramley; 3, Duddy; 4, O'Meara; 5, Bray; 6, Edwards; 7, Kennedy; 8, J. Durkin, Secy.; 9, J. Barr; 10, Elsey, Capt.; 11, A. Barr, Pres.; 12, Navarre; 13, Dougal; 14, E. Rylands; 15, A. Barr, Jr.; 16, A. Rylands; 17, Armour; 18, MacLaren; 19, A. Rylands, Mascot.
(2) McPHEE & McGINNITY "ZIP" SOCCER FOOTBALL TEAM, DENVER, COLO.—1, Balfe; 2, Fildes; 3, J. Peters; 4, MacDonald; 5, Smith; 6, Kettle; 7, Milliken; 8, Jack; 9, Theisen; 10, Taylor; 11, Thomson; 12, Quirk; 13, Todd; 14, B. Peters, Mascot.

Colorado Football Association

Soccer football in Colorado made marked progress in season 1921-22, due largely to the interest taken in the game by Denver industrial firms. The teams entering the Colorado League competition were: O'Meara Green Motor Co.; M. J. O'Fallon Plumbing and Supply Co.; Sons of St. George, Denver Lodge; and McPhee & McGinnity ("Zips"). The O'Meara Green team was largely composed of the players formerly connected with the Gordon Club. The M. J. O'Fallons used players from the old Denver Football Club, and the Zips came in as an entirely new organization.

The weather at the opening of the season was very favorable for early practice and many new faces were seen on the fields and on the side lines. The tournament opened October 15 before larger crowds than had ever been seen at the game in this district. The Sons of St. George, who had shown only mediocre form up to this time, quickly jumped into the lead, and they were able to retain this advantage until the last game of the season when they lost to the O'Meara Greens by one point. A draw in this game would have made the Sons champions, but the O'Mearas, by winning the game, also annexed the League Cup. The Zips are to be congratulated on their showing. Considering that this was a newly organized team they did well in finishing only one point behind the runners-up.

The draw for the Special Spalding Cup resulted: O'Meara Greens vs. O'Fallons; Sons of St. George vs. Zips. These games were played during the Christmas holidays. The O'Fallons caught the O'Meara Green club napping, and the other game was a dour struggle, ending in a tie. The replay gave the Sons the victory in the last fifteen minutes. The Sons met the O'Fallons before one of the largest crowds ever seen at a soccer match here. When time was called the O'Fallons had scored two goals (one a penalty), to their opponents' one.

During the season two "international" games were staged. These games between teams representing England and Scotland were very interesting, and both ended in favor of the Scots by a margin of one goal.

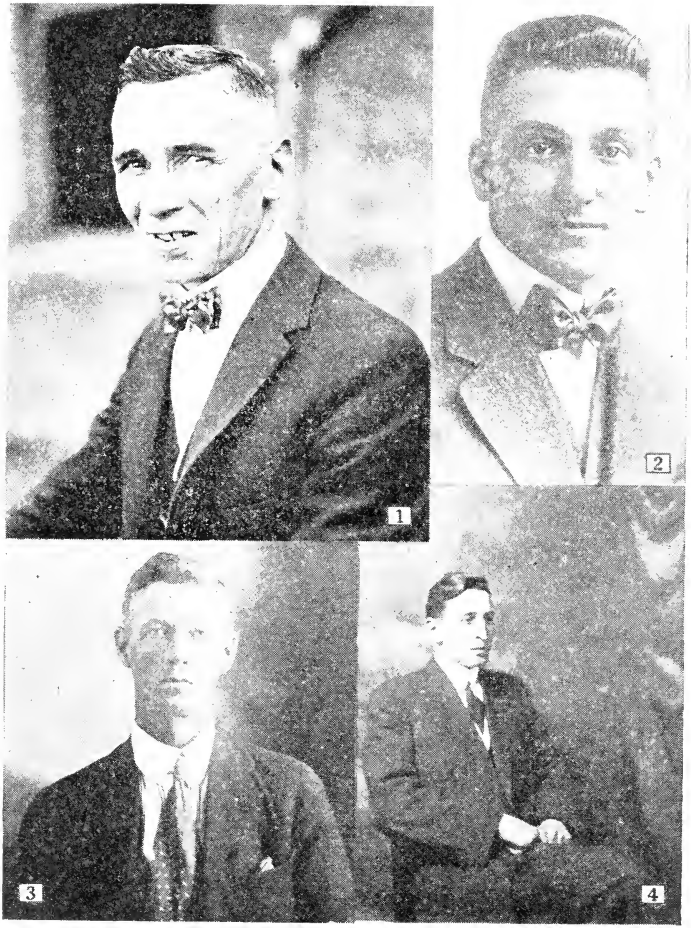
Soccer received a lot of publicity through a game arranged by the Elks as a benefit for the Craig Colony, a local tuberculosis sanatarium. The game was played between the Sons of St. George and a team representing the Elks at the local base ball park and resulted in a donation of about $1,000 to the charity. Another result probably will be the organizing of a soccer team by the Elks.

The final standing of the Colorado League:

	W.	D.	L.	Pts.
O'Meara Greens	7	1	2	15
Sons of St. George	5	4	1	14
Zips	4	5	3	13

The M. J. O'Fallon team dropped out before the completion of the series and their record was expunged.

The annual meeting was held July 19, when the constitution and by-laws were revised. By a unanimous vote it was decided to make application to the United States Football Association for affiliation with that body. The large number present at the meeting and the spirit displayed would indicate a highly promising future for soccer in Denver and Colorado in general.



1, J. N. Young, Berkeley, Cal. 2, J. E. Prime, Salt Lake City, Utah, Secretary of Utah Soccer Football Union since 1912. 3, Robert Davidson, Stockton, Cal., District Commissioner, California Football Association. 4, Tom Griffith, Grass Valley, Cal., District Commissioner California Football Association and Athletic Director of Municipal Park, Grass Valley.

Utah Soccer Football Union

President, William Service; Vice-Presidents, T. Taylor, Ogden; Amos Hudson, A. Dufrenne, John Martin, Castle Gate; Treasurer, Oswald Liptrot; Secretary, J. Ed. Prime, Salt Lake City.

By J. Ed. Prime.

As predicted, following last year's activities soccer more firmly planted itself in the sports of the young and old of Salt Lake City and Ogden during the fall and spring seasons past.

The 1921 officers of the Utah controlling body, William Service and Ed Prime, of Salt Lake, and Harry Johnson and Timothy Taylor, of Ogden, elaborated on anything previously attempted, and they saw one promising new team, the Salt Lake Rangers, enter under the wing of the Salt Lake club; also William E. Day's protege, the Junior High School League, carried through to a most successful conclusion.

The Schubach Cup (Fall league), twice taken by the Caledonians, last year was added to the two trophies garnered by Ogden earlier in the year. Fred Daynes, jeweler, donated a cup and bronze medals to the West Side junior high school, Jackson, whose principal, Wm. S. Rawlings, for many years fostering soccer, at last realized his ambition of having such honors won decisively by his boys.

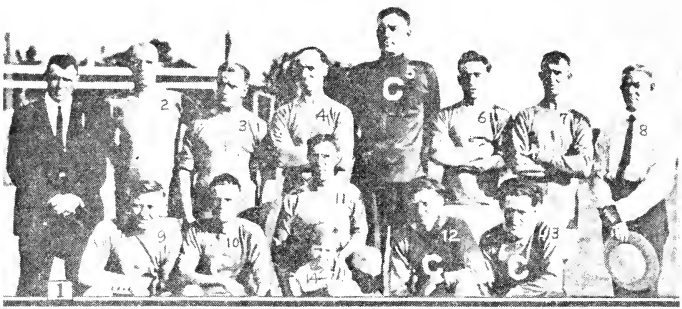
An outstanding feature was the Thanksgiving Day contest between two picked elevens at the Coast League baseball grounds, which ended in a tie score of 1 goal each, before one thousand fans. This match, a benefit for two injured players, and planned by Amos Hudson, was well carried out, and proved successful from many standpoints. Excellent weather favored the fall league.

Following practically a re-election of officers in February the Union got the clubs together for an early start, but unlike the case in the preceding competition, did not find the weather suitable for play until the latter part of April. A league of eight tried conclusions prior to the draw for the Daynes' challenge cup, two or three finding the going too stiff within a short time.

This league, however, was the means of uncovering two new aggregations, Wasatch (Ogden), and Sixteenth Ward (Salt Lake). True, both lapsed somewhat, yet the start was made, and it was apparent that the field is not too small, nor the competition too hard for such ambitious clubs. In the future, however, it might be best if two divisions are promoted, with four teams in each.

Above the rest the Ogden, Salt Lake and Caledonian elevens stood out as possible finalists in the State championship. Park City, Hollandias, Wasatch and Rangers also entered. An effort to have a Carbon county team qualify for the deciding game of the spring, failed on account of the coal strike.

In the first round, Hollandias visited Park City and won, 2—1; the Ogdens bested their townsmen, Wasatch, 8—0; Salt Lake at first held Caledonians to a tie score, and later suffered a 5—3 loss, after using three or four of the pick of the Rangers team. The Rangers carried on, despite the loss of their stars, and gave Ogden a good game, to lose 4—2. Thus Hollandia, Caledonians and Ogden survived. The first two were drawn to qualify, and Callies emerged victors by 4—1. They appeared to be far above any eleven that had trotted on the local fields since 1914, but no one looked for a one-sided score in the final game at Cummings field, University of Utah, on



(1) CALEDONIAN SOCCER TEAM, SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH. Winner Dayton's Cup June 17, 1922—1, Stevensen; 2, Graham; 3, Young; 4, Mason; 5, Norval; 6, McDonald; 7, Fox; 8, Fisher; 9, Thompson; 10, Holmes; 11, G. Bryson; 12, Atkinson; 13, Hawthorne; 14, Bryson, Jr., Mascot. (2) M. J. O'FALLON, DENVER, COLO., Winners of Special A. J. Spalding & Bros. Cup, 1921-22—1, Mackay; 2, A. Jack; 3, Rae; 4, Johnson; 5, Cameron; 6, Lasbrook; 7, W. Macinroy; 8, W. Macinroy, Jr.; 9, A. Allen; 10, J. Allen; 11, Hardy; 12, Jenkinson; 13, S. Jack; 14, Davis; 15, Crawford; 16, Heathcote; 17, Finesilver; 18, T. Sterling, Capt. (3) SONS OF ST. GEORGE, DENVER, COLO., Runners-up in the Colorado League Competition and Finalists in the Special A. G. Spalding & Bros. Cup, 1921-22—1, ———; 2, Shieden; 3, Jones; 4, McCartney; 5, G. Loxam, Sec.; 6, E. Eachus, Capt.; 7, R. Gorton, Mgr.; 8, H. Winsor, Pres.; 9, Clarke; 10, McDonald; 11, Compton; 12, Prickett; 13, Buchan; 14, Williams; 15, R. Gorton, Jr., Mascot; 16, Erdsieck.

June 17. Such, however, was the result, Caledonians triumphing by 8 clear goals.

In justice to Ogden (unbeaten 1921 champions), it should be stated that they elected to travel to Salt Lake for the final game, although they had the option of selecting an Ogden venue; that two crack players were lost just prior to the final, and that the small field mitigated against their usual aggressive and open play.

Standings:

1921 FALL SCHUBACH CUP.

Clubs.	W.	L.	T.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.	Clubs.	W.	L.	T.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Ogden	5	0	3	25	7	13	Hollandias	2	4	2	9	19	6
Salt Lake	2	2	3	15	11	7	Rangers	2	4	2	12	23	6
Caledonians	2	3	2	8	10	6							

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE.

Jackson	6	4	..	14	2	12	Bryant	1	4	..	4	9	2
Jordan	5	1	..	11	4	10	South	1	3	..	1	9	2
Irving	3	2	..	7	7	6	West	1	5	..	2	14	2
Roosevelt	2	3	..	15	9	4							

Tie games in this league either were replayed later, or called for extra time.

SMALLEY CUP.

Ogden	8	0	2	18	Rangers	3	7	0	6
Caledonians	8	1	1	17	Hollandias	1	9	0	2
Salt Lake	6	3	1	13	Wasatch	1	9	0	2

Excelsior and Sixteenth Ward teams also started in this league, but were later forced out to shorten the schedule.

(1) McKINLEY PARK TEAM, SACRAMENTO, CAL. California champions.—1, Lombard; 2, A. Smith; 3, Jenkins; 4, Oliver; 5, H. Smith; 6, Perkins, Mgr.; 7, Hansen; 8, Westlake; 9, Mugford; 10, Clayton; 11, T. Applegate; 12, L. Applegate; 13, H. Clark; 14, J. Clark. (2) LOS ANGELES UNITED FOOT BALL CLUB, Southern California Champions.—1, Simpson; 2, Robinson; 3, Bonar; 4, Johnstone; 5, Mitchell; 6, Elliott; 7, Ramsay; 8, Waite; 9, Smith; 10, Brown; 11, Sheppard; 12, Bonar; 13, McNamee.

Association Football in California

Association Secretary, William Campbell, 154 Irvington Street, San Francisco.

BY J. N. YOUNG.

Soccer football has been played on the Pacific Coast for more than thirty years, having been introduced by a colony of Britishers, mostly shipbuilders and sailors from merchantmen calling at the Port of San Francisco. The writer has pleasant recollections of taking part in several games in 1892 during a visit paid to California; the contests were staged mostly in Oakland and at the old Presidio Grounds, San Francisco, and the talent on view was of quite a high class.

The California Cup Competition was inaugurated in 1903 by the California Football Association, and while it has been conducted every year since the old time fans are unanimously of opinion that never in the history of the game here has there been a season to compare with 1921-22.

Since its inception the trophy has always been won by a San Francisco club, until this year, and naturally the fans of the big city had come to look upon the cup as their rightful property. This season, however, brought a change and after a sensational series the cup was captured by McKinley Park, a team from Sacramento, the capital city of the State; and soccer in consequence has received a wonderful impetus, while the devotees of the game have awakened to the fact that the sport has developed to such extent that many other cities are able to compete with San Francisco for the championship of the state.

The cup entries, among the largest ever received, comprised sixteen teams from six cities, as follows: San Francisco, six teams; Oakland, two; Alameda, two; Berkeley, one; Sacramento, four, and Stockton, one.

All games, with one exception, were played in San Francisco and were featured by play of an exceptionally high class, and an unusual number of draws, which proved the all round equality of the teams engaged. In all there were six tie games and as an evidence of the keen spirit shown by one of the teams, it is worth noting that they were concerned in no fewer than four out of the six. The team referred to is the Vampires, which although it did not win a single game in the league competition, absolutely refused to surrender in the cup ties until the final, when it was overcome by McKinley Park.

The tournament was replete with sensations, and as one after another of the more fancied teams fell, the interest and excitement grew and attendances increased until when the final was reached with the wooden spoonists of the local league; Vampires, left to represent San Francisco, against the youthful wonder team of Sacramento, McKinley Park, the enthusiasm had risen to such high pitch that a record gate for the season was taken.

It was a record final in many respects. Owing to the scarcity of grounds and the fact that the season was far advanced beyond the customary period it was decided by the Association to play to a finish, but even at that it required two games to decide the victor. Each game lasted two and a half hours, during which the cup appeared won and lost several times, but neither team would give in until finally the spirit and determination of youth, as represented by the Sacramento team, asserted itself and gained a popular victory, the final result being McKinley Park 3, Vampires 1.

Chairman Sam Goodman of the California Football Association in presenting the cup made special mention of the sportsmanship displayed by the players of both teams throughout the competition.

In addition to the cup ties the Association carried out an inter-city series between all-star teams representing Sacramento, Los Angeles and San Francisco. This was staged at New Year time and resulted in San Francisco beating each of the other cities, while Los Angeles won from Sacramento.

One of the great problems faced by the Association was the ground situation. Owing to the great building boom in the West it is almost impossible to secure suitable accommodations for outdoor sports, and it was only the untiring efforts of the executives, through the grounds committee composed of Wm. Campbell, Dan Morrison, A. H. Macgregor, Wm. Crawford and J. R. Bolton, that enabled the Association to complete the season. Secretary Campbell is still engaged on the ground problem for next season.

CUP COMPETITION RESULTS.

FIRST ROUND—Thistle 8, Invincibles 2; Vampires 4, Acorns 4; *Vampires 3, Acorns 1; Burns 3, Rangers 0; Union Iron Works 8, Stockton 0; Riverside 3, Sons of St. George 2; South Side 4, Allandale 1; McKinley Park 2, Neptune 0; Olympic 0, Barbarians 0; *Olympics 2, Barbarians 1. SECOND ROUND—Vampires 1, South Side 1; *Vampires 2, South Side 1; Union Iron Works 1, Riverside 1; *Union Iron Works 5, Riverside 0; Thistle 3, Burns 1; McKinley Park 2, Olympic 0. SEMI-FINAL—McKinley Park 3, Thistle 1; Vampires 0, Union Iron Works 0; *Vampires 3, Union Iron Works 1. FINAL—McKinley Park 3, Vampires 3; *McKinley Park 3, Vampires 1.

Referee in final, E. Robinson, San Francisco.

*Replay.

SAN FRANCISCO FOOTBALL LEAGUE.

Officers—President, John Elliot; Vice-Presidents, H. B. Smith, R. S. Shand, E. M. Smith; Chairman Executive Committee, John Gibson; Treasurer, Don Morrison; Secretary, J. R. Bolton, 534 Waller Street, San Francisco; Affiliated Clubs: Barbarians, Burns, Olympic, Thistle, Union Iron Works, Vampires.

By J. N. Young.

At the end of season 1921 it was decided by the officials of the California Football League that the name was somewhat misleading on account of the development of soccer throughout the state and the fact that various other leagues were operating in the state, each of which was entitled to recognition. In deference to those other bodies and to conform to the correct ideas of equality in soccer the clubs in San Francisco agreed to abandon the old title and to reorganize under the more appropriate name of San Francisco League. It was also agreed that owing to the difficulty of obtaining ground accommodations the league would be limited to six clubs.

The wisdom of this limitation was later proved by the fact that owing to the intervention of cup ties and other causes, several of the league games had to be abandoned as there was not sufficient time to play them during the recognized soccer season. Fortunately the abandonment of the games did not have any bearing upon the championship as the winners had sufficient points in hand to prove their claim to the honor.

Most of the games were played at Recreation Park, the home of the San Francisco Baseball Club, although it was found necessary to use other grounds which, however, proved somewhat unsuitable and unremunerative.

From the start the competition was keen and Olympic and Union Iron Works were generally considered as the most likely contenders. Yet it could not be said that they dominated the other teams which, with the exception

of Vampires and later the Burns, kept well in the fighting line till near the end of the schedule.

Gradually, however, the Iron Works and the "Winged O" boys got out in front and after a lively duel the former team worthily annexed the championship trophy and medals with the remainder of the field strung well out behind them.

In addition to the league schedule the clubs engaged in a five-a-side competition, an annual affair, for possession of the Williamson Trophy. This tournament was quite an attraction and was won by Olympics, whose quintette defeated Thistle in the final by 3 goals and 1 corner to 2 goals.

The annual "international" match between league players representing England and Scotland was won by the former, 3 goals to 2.

STANDING OF CLUBS.

Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.	Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Union Iron Wk.	12	2	0	33	11	24	Thistle	6	6	2	20	20	14
Olympic	10	3	1	32	12	21	Burns	3	8	2	11	27	8
Barbarians	7	6	1	20	16	15	Vampires	0	13	2	8	38	2

EAST BAY SOCCER LEAGUE.

(Comprising Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley.)

President, R. Strehlow; Vice-Presidents, R. Shand and A. Pyne; Chairman, G. Dolan; Secretary, H. H. Spurgeon; Treasurer, J. Dickerhoff.

By J. N. Young.

The East Bay Soccer League was organized on September 16, 1921, chiefly through the efforts of the executive committee of the California Football Association which delegated Sam Goodman, chairman, and Wm. Campbell, secretary, to attend the meeting.

The new league was a success from the beginning and a schedule was drawn up for five clubs, all of which participated and fulfilled all obligations to the league. The matter of suitable playing fields was a drawback at the start but the league officials were given valuable assistance by the playgrounds departments of the East Bay cities and the games were played on Washington Park, Alameda and San Pablo Park, Berkeley.

If the attendances at the early games was rather slim it was due to the fact that the public was not aware of the class of entertainment provided. Judicious advertising by the officials, assisted by Mr. Jurgenson, soon remedied that matter and the fans came out in large numbers, displaying much enthusiasm.

Assisted by several old time stars from the better known clubs in San Francisco the teams put up a good brand of soccer and many young players of ability were "discovered."

The league is in a prosperous position financially and with the help of the Association was able to present medals to the players of the Neptune Beach team, winners of the championship.

LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts		W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Neptune Beach.	9	2	1	14	8	19	Sons St. George	3	6	3	24	19	9
Rangers	7	3	2	20	10	16	Invincibles	0	11	1	3	37	1
Allandale	6	3	3	23	19	15							

SOCCER IN GRASS VALLEY, CALIFORNIA.

By J. N. Young.

Situated in a gold mining district and numbering many Cornishmen among its population, the small city of Grass Valley has for many years maintained a soccer club, depending upon teams from Sacramento, and occasionally from San Francisco, as attractions.

Much enthusiasm has been shown and the improvement in the standing of the game has been steady and sure, the older members carrying on for years in face of all kinds of hardships. Now, however, they are to have their reward as the younger generation has taken keenly to the sport and under the guidance of Tom Griffith, one of the commissioners for the California Football Association, the team bids fair to hold its own with any in Northern California.

A municipal stadium has just been completed with Mr. Griffith in charge and every encouragement is being offered local youths to take part in soccer. A new state highway has been laid down which affords easy access to all surrounding cities and removes a condition which has been one of the chief obstacles in the way of progress there.

Efforts are being made to induce other cities in the immediate neighborhood to embrace soccer and there is no doubt these will soon be fruitful and add many converts to the game. A soccer boom is confidently expected during the coming season with a possibility of a local league composed of four teams.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SOCCER ASSOCIATION.

President, John M. Hannay; Secretary, A. S. Cowie; Treasurer, B. Reinhold.

By A. S. Cowie.

It is not ascending into the realms of hyperbole to declare that soccer in Southern California has progressed to the point where it is fit and ready to step into the domains of the so-called major sports. During the past season, the game here enjoyed the popular fancy of the sporting public to a degree undreamed of. The improvement in playing skill was very marked, and a splendid development in the maintenance of discipline was apparent.

Credit for much of the forward march of the kicking game in Sunny California goes to John M. Hannay, president of the Southern Association, who has surrounded himself with a strong executive committee. By his firmness and fairness and by his continued preaching to players to play the ball and not the man he has won the confidence of players, club officials and fans alike.

Clubs franchised by the league were the Los Angeles United, Los Angeles Athletic Overseas, Sons of St. George, Pasadena, Crown City, Long Beach United and Rangers. Home and away games were played, with the Los Angeles games played at Maier Park, Vernon, home of the Vernon Baseball Club. To the Los Angeles United went the league honors, but only after a hard fight. The champions went through the season without once meeting defeat, their only partial setbacks being two drawn matches. And at that it was not a runaway race. They were trailed closely by the Los Angeles Athletic Club, with Pasadena Sons of St. George and Long Beach United closely bunched just behind.

During the season a picked team traveled to San Francisco, where an intercity series was staged and emerged with one defeat and one win. It is

likely that a return match will be arranged this season, with the games played in Los Angeles as part of a series in which San Francisco, Sacramento, Stockton, and Oakland will participate.

Coincident with the progress of the game in and around Los Angeles, has been the birth of strong teams in Riverside, Redlands and San Bernardino. Overtures have been made by these cities for affiliation with the Southern California Soccer Association for the coming season.

The necessary "spade" work to insure a continued supply of soccer players will be attempted this year with the introduction of soccer into the sports curriculum of the grade and high schools in Los Angeles. To this end arrangements have been made with the Board of Education, looking to the formation of a second division league, which would be under the jurisdiction of the parent body. Every aid would be furnished by supplying coaches and referees.

The clubs finished the league race in this order: Los Angeles United, Los Angeles Athletic Club, Long Beach United, Sons of St. George, Pasadena, Overseas Club, Rangers, Crown City.

LOS ANGELES UNITED.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAMPIONS.

Winning league honors has become almost a habit with the Los Angeles United, the club having won the trophy three years in succession. It is undoubtedly one of the best knit teams in the league, much of its strength, however, coming from fine team work superinduced by their players having played together with few changes for eleven years. They finished the race, hard fought throughout, without a single defeat, their record being 12 wins and 2 drawn contests.

SOCCER IN STOCKTON DISTRICT.

BY J. N. YOUNG.

After several years' inactivity a soccer revival has taken place in this section of the state. Due chiefly to the efforts of oldtimers, who previous to the war were very active, a lively interest has been created and a league which was formed late in 1921 gives all indication of becoming a strong factor in soccer in California. During the season a schedule was played for a trophy given by Albert Luly, a local sportsman. Four teams competed, Neptunes, Thistle, Doans and DeMolay, and after a close contest Neptunes finished on top by one point. This season, it is the intention to organize more strongly and at least one more local team and another from Tracy are expected to enter.

SOCCER IN SACRAMENTO.

District Commissioners—H. A. Senf, F. C. Douglas, R. Berry, T. Griffith, R. Davidson. League Officials—F. C. Douglas, H. Kiernan, S. R. Wills, R. Berry. Clubs—Acorns, Eagles, McKinley Park, Grass Valley, Riverside, South Side.

BY J. N. YOUNG.

It is doubtful if there is any city in the United States in which soccer football has attained greater development among the native-born youths than it has in the capital of California. Originally introduced here by a handful

of enthusiasts, prominent among whom was Edgar Pomeroy, the present manager of the famous Olympic Club team of San Francisco, the game has steadily gained in popularity until at this time it is recognized locally as without rival as a winter pastime.

This is in a great measure due to the fact that the boys who at present compose the teams are products of the public schools of the district and who have learned the game from the ground up. The wisdom of concentrating upon young Californians is proved by the development of the game and Sacramento in consequence is years ahead of most cities, in a soccer sense at least.

Never before was the rivalry among the clubs so great nor the class of play so high as in the league competition during the past season. Gradually, however, the contest narrowed down to a battle between McKinley Park and South Side, and at the close of the schedule the teams were tied. A deciding game was necessary and so keen was the feeling that Mr. E. Robinson was brought from San Francisco to officiate as referee. McKinley was in great form and triumphed, 4 to 1, thus winning the championship for the second successive year.

Following the league schedule the competition for the Northern California Cup was entered upon. All of the league teams except Grass Valley entered the series and in addition two teams from Stockton participated. The same high class of soccer was displayed and while McKinley Park had an easy passage to the final it required several contests before it was determined that South Side would again be its opponent. Once more the McKinley Parks came out on top, the score being 2—0, thereby establishing themselves undisputed champions of Northern California.

In addition to the local competitions the Sacramento teams played a very important part in the fight for the State Cup in which series four teams from the city took part and out of a total of 22 games played in the tournament the Sacramento clubs were concerned in 13, finally winning the cup through the sensational play of the champion McKinley Park eleven.

The average age of the players registered from Sacramento is eighteen years, so with the natural improvement expected to take place in the next few years still greater conquests are looked for and an open challenge to the United States is the aim of the local magnates. Credit is due Commissioner Senf and his associates for their efficiency in handling affairs.

LEAGUE STANDING.

	G.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
McKinley Park.	11	9	1	1	43	10	19
South Side.....	11	7	1	3	36	11	17
Grass Valley....	9	3	3	3	13	16	9
Riverside	10	3	5	2	16	13	8
Acorns	9	2	6	1	18	32	5
Eagles	8	0	6	2	9	35	2

The California Football Association has decided to appoint a separate commission to take charge of affairs in the district and with Bob Davidson at the head of the game is sure to develop. Prominent among others who have helped to revive interest may be mentioned Messrs. Boyd, McKay and Milligan, all of whom are men of experience in soccer and anxious to see Stockton district take its place in the front.

Following the example of their neighbors in Sacramento the officials in Stockton are alive to the importance of teaching the game in the schools. There are at present over twenty teams in the grammar schools of the city.

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FINALS.

100 LBS.

Hamilton 1, Redding 0; Cleveland 3, Redding 0; Hamilton 0, Daniel Webster 0; Hamilton 1, Cleveland 0; Daniel Webster 3, Redding 0; Daniel Webster 1, Cleveland 1.

School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.	School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.
Hamilton	2	1	0	5	Cleveland	1	1	1	3
Daniel Webster	1	2	0	4	Redding	0	0	3	0

DISTRICT 1—100 LBS.

Redding 1, John Swett 0; Washington 2, John Swett 0; Redding 1, Washington 0.

School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.	School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.
Redding	2	0	0	4	John Swett	0	0	2	0
Washington	1	0	1	2					

DISTRICT 2A—100 LBS.

Fremont 2, Com. Sloat 1; Grattan 2, Fremont 2; Crocker 2, Grattan 1; Crocker 6, Fremont 0; Grattan 3, Com. Sloat 2; Crocker 1, Com. Sloat 0.

School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.	School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.
Crocker	3	0	0	6	Fremont	1	1	1	3
Grattan	1	1	1	3	Com. Sloat	0	0	3	0

Crocker (Dist. 2A) 2, Hamilton (Dist. 2B) 0; Hamilton (Dist. 2B) 1, Crocker (Dist. 2A) 0.

DISTRICT 2B—100 LBS.

Hamilton 1, Rochambeau 1; Hamilton 2, Roosevelt 0; Roosevelt 1, Rochambeau 0.

School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.	School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.
Hamilton	1	1	0	3	Rochambeau	0	1	1	1
Roosevelt	1	0	1	2					

DISTRICT 3—100 LBS.

Daniel Webster 2, State T.C. 0.

School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.	School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.
Daniel Webster	1	0	0	2	State T.C.	0	0	1	0

DISTRICT 4—100 LBS.

Cleveland 3, Bernal 0; Cleveland 1, Monroe 0; Monroe 2, Bernal 0.

School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.	School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.
Cleveland	2	0	0	4	Bernal	0	0	2	0
Monroe	1	0	1	2					

UNLIMITED.

Cleveland 2, J. W. Lilienthal 1; Franklin 1, J. W. Lilienthal 0; Cleveland 1, Washington 0; Washington 1, J. W. Lilienthal 0; Cleveland 1, Franklin 0; Franklin 1, Washington 0 (forfeit).

School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.	School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.
Cleveland	3	0	0	6	Washington	1	0	2	2
Franklin	2	0	1	4	Lilienthal	0	0	3	0

DISTRICT 1A—UNLIMITED.

John Swett 1, Adams 0; Redding 2, Adams 0; John Swett 0, Redding 0.

School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts	School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.
John Swett	1	1	0	3	Adams	0	0	2	0
Redding	1	1	0	3					

Play-off—Redding 2, John Swett 0; Washington (Dist. 1B) 1, Redding (Dist. 1A) 0.

DISTRICT 1B—UNLIMITED.

Washington 2, Oriental 0.

School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.	School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.
Washington	1	0	0	2	Oriental	0	0	1	0

DISTRICT 2A—UNLIMITED.

J. W. Lilienthal 2, Crocker 0; Hamilton 4, Grattan 0; J. W. Lilienthal 1, Hamilton 0; J. W. Lilienthal 6, Grattan 0; Crocker 1, Hamilton 1; Crocker 3, Grattan 1.

School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.	School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.
Lilienthal	3	0	0	6	Hamilton	1	1	1	3
Crocker	1	1	1	3	Grattan	0	0	3	0

DISTRICT 2B—UNLIMITED.

Lafayette 1, George Peabody 0; Roosevelt 2, Rochambeau 1; Rochambeau 1, George Peabody 0; Roosevelt 2, Lafayette 0; Roosevelt 1, George Peabody 1; Rochambeau 1, Lafayette 0.

School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.	School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.
Roosevelt	3	0	0	6	Lafayette	1	0	2	2
Rochambeau	2	0	1	4	Peabody	0	0	3	0

DISTRICT 3A—UNLIMITED.

Bay View 1, Lincoln 0 (forfeit); Franklin 3, Bay View 0; Franklin 2, Ethan Allen 0; Lincoln 0, Ethan Allen 0; Ethan Allen 1, Bay View 0; Lincoln 0, Franklin 0.

School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.	School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.
Franklin	2	1	0	5	Bay View	1	0	2	2
Ethan Allen	1	1	1	3	Lincoln	0	2	1	2

Franklin (Dist. 3A) 1, Horace Mann (Dist. 3B) 0.

DISTRICT 3B—UNLIMITED.

Horace Mann 2, Hearst 1; Daniel Webster 1, James Lick 0; Horace Mann 1, Daniel Webster 0; James Lick 2, Hearst 0; Horace Mann 1, James Lick 0; Daniel Webster 1, Hearst 0.

School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.	School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.
Horace Mann	3	0	0	6	James Lick	1	0	2	2
Daniel Webster	2	0	1	4	Hearst	0	0	3	0

DISTRICT 4A—UNLIMITED.

Bernal 0, Farragut 0; Cleveland 3, Bernal 0; Cleveland 1, Farragut 0.

School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.	School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.
Cleveland	2	0	0	4	Farragut	0	1	1	1
Bernal	0	1	1	1					

Cleveland (Dist. 4A) 5, Portola (Dist. 4B) 1.

DISTRICT 4B—UNLIMITED.

Monroe 2, Glen Park 1; Portola 2, Monroe 1; Glen Park 0, Portola 0.

School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.	School.	Won.	Tied.	Lost.	Pts.
Portola	1	1	0	3	Glen Park	0	1	1	1
Monroe	1	0	1	2					

McKINLEY PARK TEAM, SACRAMENTO.

(California State Champions.)

BY "ACADEMICAL."

From novices in 1919 to state champions in 1922 is the proud record of the Young McKinley Park team of Sacramento.

Four years ago a group of boys, aged fourteen to sixteen, were formed into a soccer team by Miss Doris Clark, playground supervisor at the Munici-

pal Park whose name they bear in the capital city of California. From the first it was evident that the team was bound to graduate to high honors, so keen was the spirit of the boys, and a prediction was made to this effect by the writer in the Soccer Guide of 1920. The development has been apparent in every appearance; so much so that this year the fans named them Sacramento's Wonder Team; a fitting title judging by their achievements.

Composed of thirteen players—twelve native-born and one Britisher—the team proved a magnificent combination in the local league, winning the championship for the second successive year. They continued their triumphant march by taking the Northern California Challenge Cup, and completed a great season's work by beating all comers in the California State competition.

In the latter series they journeyed to San Francisco for every game and won each contest by 2 goals, beating several favorites on the way. Their displays were a revelation to the most critical of the fans; their spirit, speed and clean sportsmanship appealing to all and making them favorites from the first, as one after another of the fancied teams fell before them, enthusiasm reached a pitch never before equalled in Californian soccer.

The seasons record of the team speaks for itself. Defeated but once in seven and a half months of play, they scored in competitions 64 goals and lost only 15. This in itself proves them a well balanced team from stem to stern.

The average age of the present team is twenty years; the oldest player being twenty-five and the youngest seventeen, so it will be seen that they have prospects of even greater conquests in the future.

In winning the California Cup McKinley Park gained the object aimed at since their foundation, as they have been coached for four years with this end in view. They have proved what American youth is capable of when properly trained and soccer has been given a stimulus in California in consequence.

The picture of the team appearing in this issue of the Guide was taken during the "Sacramento Days of '49 Celebration." Observe the effects of the attempts of the players to grow beards in obedience to the ordinance passed by the City Council for that historic event.

To mark the occasion a group of prominent officials journeyed from San Francisco to Sacramento and presented the medals won by McKinley. The following composed the party: Sam Goodman, Wm. Campbell, John Gibson, Don Morrison, Wm. Crawford, Frank Laurie and the writer. They were entertained by Commissioner Senf and his associates.

Soccer in Seattle

By Alex C. Rose.

When the Northwest Soccer Association ceased to exist with the ending of the 1919-1920 season, it was thought that the grand old soccer game would be a dead one in these parts and in fact the 1920-1921 team came and went without any senior matches being played. But with the approach of the 1921-22 season, a meeting was arranged and the outcome was the formation of a city league. Not only was senior soccer put on its feet again but the juniors were given a chance to show their skill for the first time.

Soccer football was first introduced in the Pacific Northwest some twenty years ago, but last season, strange to relate, was the first year the youngsters of Seattle had their own "Junior League." Now they are on the map, there is little danger of them being erased from it. The skillful playing and enthusiasm shown in all the junior matches throughout the season was a revelation to every soccer fan.

Some idea of how anxious the players were to get the game going again, may be gathered from the fact that six clubs entered the senior division and ten in the junior division. The brand of football played by the seniors was easily the best and cleanest ever seen in these parts and it went a long way toward placing soccer on a high pinnacle in winter sportsdom. The West Seattle eleven, captained by Billy McGrath, won the pennant after an exciting race, with the Maple Leafs, Woodland Park, Post Office, Boeing-Aircraft, and Haas-Echarts finishing in the order named.

The big surprise of the season, however, was the spirited contests put up by the juniors. Goalless draws, 1—0, and like results were chalked up in the majority of the matches. The forming of this junior league was the biggest boost soccer in Seattle ever had. The junior pennant was won by the Cowan Cigar Company eleven, captained by Sam Gaston, with Washington Park, South Park, Ballard, Hawthorne, Ben Paris Billiards, Allen, Walla Walla, Louie's Dry Cleaners and Highland Park teams, finishing in the order named.

The curtain was rung down when a double-header was played at Woodland Park, in the presence of 6,000 spectators. Two picked teams, the Blues and Grays, from the junior division, opposed each other in the opener and a very hard fought match resulted in a victory 3 to 0, for the Blues. The windup was between two all star senior elevens, with Dr. T. Galbraith and Billy McGrath as captains, and the exhibition of clean, clever and fast soccer displayed during that ninety minutes has never been seen before on any Pacific Northwest soccer field. It was a fitting climax to the ending of a highly successful season and a splendid match when the final whistle sounded with the teams in a goalless draw.

Dick Kerr's Ladies' Team Visits U. S.

Representing the athletic association of Dick Kerr, Ltd., the big electric corporation of Preston, England, the Dick Kerr Ladies' soccer team, fifteen players strong, crossed the Atlantic in mid-September and essayed a tour unique in American soccer annals. The female kickers came to play under the direction of Brooklyn Football Club and Mr. A. Zelickman of that club, the former Tebo Yacht Basin F.C. manager, met the team at Quebec and accompanied it during the early part of its travels in the United States.

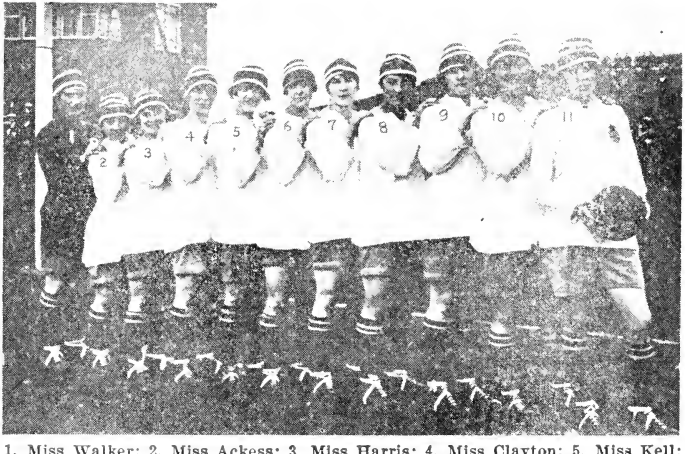
Through misinformation the team had been heralded as the Newcastle United Ladies' team. But this was the least of the misfortunes which the tourists encountered. The female players acquitted themselves most creditably, played a sterling brand of football that won them high praise wherever they showed, and withal conducted themselves splendidly at all times. But the team's booking had not been wisely handled and the fact that the Dominion of Canada F.A. frowned upon the invasion by female soccerites—the Football Association, Ltd., of England, never having recognized the women's team—forced early cancellation of plans to extend the tour into the Dominion.

The finances, routing and other details of the tour by the management of the Brooklyn Football Club became so muddled that in order to protect against the tourists' being stranded in this country, the management of the tour was taken over by Mr. Thomas Bagnall, appointed U.S.F.A. representative to accompany the team, and the tour was reduced to seven games, confined to the Atlantic States. Cleveland, Chicago and Detroit dates were cancelled and consideration of others for Middle Western cities was dropped, and the team returned to England aboard the SS. Scythia, sailing from New York Oct. 26.

The ladies' team opened its tour against Paterson Football Club, at Paterson, Sunday, Sept. 24, and lost by a 6-3 score. The following Saturday they tied J. & P. Coats F.C. at Pawtucket, R. I., and the next day were defeated by the Hispano F.C. at New York Oval. The tourists tied the Washington team of the Southeastern Soccer League in the Washington American League ball park the succeeding Sunday, and on Columbus Day defeated the New Bedford Spoting Club at New Bedford. In a carelessly played game, in so far as the male players were concerned, the Dick Kerr eleven downed New York Football Club at New York Oval by an 8 to 4 score on Saturday afternoon, October 14, and wound up their tour with a game against the Baltimore Soccer Club, Sunday, October 22, Baltimore Soccer Club winning, 4 to 3.

The team showed remarkable spirit in its games and even though pitted against some of the strongest clubs in the country, demonstrated great stamina, remarkable proficiency at combination play and considerable speed, and the individual performances on the part of several players were comparable to many of the sterner sex. Miss Lila Parr, the team's young outside left, particularly attracted attention by her speed and the terrific driving power of her left foot.

THE GRENADIER GUARDS FOOTBALL CLUB OF MONTREAL, CAN., Champions of the Province of Quebec—1, S. Bloomer, Coach; 2, Mr. Peebles, Trainer; 3, Foy; 4, Brown; 5, Montgomerie, Capt.; 6, Beattie; 7, A. Clark; 8, Mr. Rowland, Trainer; 9, Topping; 10, Ferguson; 11, Dickson; 12, D. Clark; 13, Smith; 14, McLagan. Photo, Alexandra Studios.



1, Miss Walker; 2, Miss Ackess; 3, Miss Harris; 4, Miss Clayton; 5, Miss Kell; 6, Miss Retford; 7, Miss Haslem; 8, Miss Woods; 9, Miss Pomies; 10, Miss Walmsley; 11, Miss Paff.

DICK KERR'S LADIES' FOOTBALL CLUB OF PRESTON, ENGLAND.

The Province of Quebec Football Association

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Soccer in this province is making most extraordinary strides. A few years ago clubs in Montreal could almost be counted on one hand; today, there are over eighty which, considering other populous districts, is very creditable for the third largest French city in the world.

This province is divided into four sections, viz.: Montreal, Sherbrooke, Three Rivers and Quebec, which is to say, each district has its own association, all affiliated with and supporting the P.Q.F.A., making a total membership of about 140 clubs.

The season of 1921 was a very successful one, the principal event being the visit of the Scottish professional footballers, who played two games in Montreal. The first one took place on May 24 against a Quebec eleven, the Scots winning by 6 goals to 2.

On returning from the Coast, the tourists met an All-Canadian eleven, and only won by one goal. In both games the receipts broke all records, something like $13,000 being taken. This only goes to show the drawing powers of soccer in the province.

The handling of the Scottish tour by the Dominion officials may not have pleased, but everything possible to make it a success was done by the Quebec people, the press offering liberal space, and if the tour was not good in a financial sense, that is a matter to be settled elsewhere.

In Montreal the game has made many friends who, wearied of professionalism, so badly managed in other sports, turned to something new, and realized the supreme value of organization. Consequently there has been a great increase in attendances at the several games.

Last year, Sons of Scotland proved to be the premier team, winning the First Division championship in handy fashion, also annexed the "Charity Cup." Around the latter cup may be told a little story. From the proceeds of this competition, an endowed bed in the Montreal General Hospital is kept and occupied by any footballers injured on the field. Apart from this, donations amounting to $800 are given, Alexandra Hospital, Grace Dart Home for Tuberculosis, Children's Memorial Hospital and the Notre Dame Hospital. All of which shows that soccer men in Montreal clearly realize their responsibilities.

C. P. R. won the Quebec Cup, and represented this province in the Connaught Cup, Dominion Finals, beating Halifax but losing later to Toronto Scottish, the ultimate winners.

Grand Trunks, who won the Connaught Cup in 1919, retained the Caledonia Cup, the first important trophy played for in this province.

Coming to 1922. This year has been noticeable for the spectacular rise of Grenadier Guards and Beloeil, both clubs having won senior rank. Grenadier Guards, who are sponsored by Colonel F. S. Meighen, C.M.G., one of Montreal"s greatest sportsmen, who commanded the 14th and 87th Battalions in France, won the Quebec Cup, and earned the right to meet Toronto Ulster in the Connaught Cup interprovincial finals. To Montreal's dismay they lost, but are still in the running for the league championship, the real, and severe

test of consistency. With Beloeil, Guards are the great attraction, and it is common to see 4,000 spectators present when they meet.

Beloeil, a village on the banks of the famous Richelieu River, known in early history as the "road," in a water sense, from Lake Champlain to the St. Lawrence, is now a "powder town," having one of the Canadian Explosives Works there, and the soccer team represents them. For years they have struggled for prominence. Today it is theirs, for they cut a dangerous figure in Montreal soccerdom.

Missionary visits have been made to Quebec and Sherbrooke, Colonel Meighen taking at his own expense the Guards team to Quebec's ancient capital, winning by 3—1. Montreal also defeated Sherbrooke, 5—1, and were right royally entertained by the Eastern Township's F.A. This means forming friendships and forging links to make this province one big soccer family.

In the annual intercity series, Montreal defeated Toronto, 3 goals to 2, annexing the "Carls-Rite Trophy," which had been in Toronto's possession for three years. The first game was played on Dominion Day, July 1, Toronto winning unexpectedly, on the form shown, by 2—1. Montreal had ample revenge in the return fixture, beating the Torontonians by 2—0.

Reverting to the league end of the game in Montreal. This is divided into four divisions. First, Second, Third and Fourth, with a membership of 44 clubs. The latest clubs to join must enter the Fourth Division, regardless of who they are, and work their way. The procedure is the two lowest clubs in the first three divisions descend, the champions and their runners-up advancing by way of promotion. It thus takes a new club at least three years to gain senior rank. This system prevails in England and Scotland, and tends towards efficiency, interest being sustained to the end of the season, one section fighting for championship honors, the other to escape relegation.

Then we have the Midweek League, comprised of eight clubs, being represented by large stores and others, who are unable to play Saturday afternoons. This league is gaining in popularity every year, and the quality of soccer shown is equal in many respects to any section in the city.

The Junior Football Association brings the list to a close, and the gratifying feature is the number of young French-Canadians taking part. One team includes no fewer than eight, and in a year or two many will be heard from. Taking the Montreal clubs alone, apart from other affiliated districts, over 1,200 players are in uniform every week.

Soccer is rapidly becoming the premier sport hereabouts, and the local racetracks realize this to such an extent that they have materially reduced their admission charges, fearing the competition of a young growing giant right at their own door.

Quebec province is governed by a council of seven, elected at the annual meeting, held each year in January. The council controls the game in a larger sense, but each affiliated league has autonomy, but players ordered from the field are dealt with by a discipline committee, which is composed of a representative from each league. This plan has been found very effective.

The great success of soccer in the province of Quebec is due entirely to its organization, which stands second to none.

Soccer in Great Britain

INTERNATIONAL MATCHES.

Scotland won the international honors last season, defeating England by 1 goal to 0. Lack of good center forwards was one of the reasons attributed for the inability of England to make a better showing in all of the matches. A draw was the result—or lack of results—of the England vs. Ireland contest, and one goal to nothing for Wales showed the closeness of that game. Wales had previously defeated Scotland and as the latter had defeated Ireland, the title was decided by the final contest. The summary of games won and lost and points scored is as follows:

	Scotland		England		Wales		Ireland		Total	Games	
	G.	F.A.	G.	F.A.	G.	F.A.	G.	F.A.	F.A.	Won.	Pts.
Scotland	..	.. ..	1	1 0	0	1 2	1	2 1	4 3	2	4
England	0	0 1	..	.. ..	1	1 0	*..	1 1	2 2	1	3
Wales	1	2 1	0	0 1	..	.. ..	*..	1 1	3 3	1	3
Ireland	0	1 2	*..	1 1	*..	1 1	..	.. ..	3 4	0	2
Games lost...	1		1		1		1				

* Drawn.

ENGLAND VS. IRELAND.

The first contest of the series was played at Windsor Park, Belfast, on October 22. Although wretched weather prevailed 30,000 spectators witnessed the match. Gillespie scored the first point, but Kirton equalized it for England. Scott's goalkeeping prevented any of the visitors' attempts to score and the game concluded 1 to 1. The teams:

Ireland—Scott (Liverpool); W. McCracken (Newcastle United) and Rollo (Blackburn Rovers); R. McCracken (Crystal Palace), Scraggs (Glentoran), and Emerson (Glentoran); Lacey (Liverpool), Gillespie (Sheffield United), Doran (Brighton and Hove Albion), Mathieson (Luton Town), and Bookman (Luton Town).

England—Dawson (Burnley); Clay (Tottenham Hotspur) and Lucas (Liverpool); Moss (Aston Villa), Wilson (Sheffield Wednesday), and Barton (Birmingham); Chedgzoy (Everton), Kirton (Aston Villa), Simms (Luton Town), Walker (Aston Villa), and Harrison (Everton).

Referee, A. A. Jackson (Scotland).

WALES VS. SCOTLAND.

Snow on the ground to a depth of several inches, and still falling, did not deter the players or 10,000 spectators from Wrexham on February 4. Both goals that eventually gave the victory to Wales were scored before half time, the first one by L. Davies and the second by D. Davies. In the second half the only scoring was done by Archibald. Try as they could, however, the Scots could not overcome the Welshmen's lead, the final score being 2—1. Teams:

Wales—Peers (Port Vale); E. Parry (Liverpool) and J. H. Evans (Southend United); H. P. Evans (Cardiff City), J. T. Jones (Crystal Palace), and Matthias, Capt. (Wrexham); S. Davies (West Bromwich Albion), Ivor Jones (Swansea Town), L. Davies (Cardiff City), Richards (Wolverhampton Wanderers), and Vizard (Bolton Wanderers).

Scotland—Campbell (Partick Thistle); Marshall (Middlesbrough) and McKinlay (Liverpool); Meiklejohn (Rangers), Gilhooley (Hull City), and Collier (Raith Rovers); Archibald (Rangers), John White (Albion Rovers), Wilson (Middlesbrough), F. Walker (Third Lanark), and Morton Rangers.

Referee, A. Ward (England).

SCOTLAND VS. IRELAND.

Gillespie was the star of this contest, which on the whole was not up to expectations. Parkhead, Glasgow, was the scene of conflict, March 4, the attendance numbering 35,000. Ireland held the Scotchmen scoreless until a quarter of an hour before the end, when an injury to McCracken made a change necessary and somewhat disorganized the Irish play. Wilson scored both goals for Scotland, 2 goals to 1 being the final result. Teams:

Scotland—Campbell (Partick Thistle); Marshall (Middlesbrough) and McKinlay (Liverpool); Hogg (Ayr United), Cringan (Celtic), and Muirhead (Rangers); Donaldson (Bolton Wanderers), Kinloch (Partick Thistle), Wilson (Middlesbrough), Cunningham (Rangers), and Troup (Dundee).

Ireland—Collins (Glasgow Celtic); W. McCracken (Newcastle United), and W. McCandless (Glasgow Rangers); R. McCracken (Crystal Palace), O'Brien (Queen's Park Rangers), and Emerson (Glentoran); Lacey (Liverpool), Gallagher (Glasgow Celtic), Irvine (Everton), Gillespie (Sheffield United), and Lyner (Glentoran).

Referee, A. Ward (England).

ENGLAND VS. WALES.

Excellent weather conditions marked this contest, held at Anfield, Liverpool, March 13, before 30,000 persons. Kelly scored the only goal, right after the start of the match. Final result: England 1, Wales 0. Teams:

England—Davison (Sheffield Wednesday); Clay (Tottenham Hotspur) and Titmuss (Southampton); B. Smith (Tottenham Hotspur), M. Woosnam, Capt. (Manchester City), and Bromilow (Liverpool); Walden (Tottenham Hotspur), Kelly (Burnley), Rawlings (Southampton), Walker (Aston Villa), and W. H. Smith (Huddersfield Town).

Wales—Peers (Port Vale); Russell (Plymouth Argyle) and J. H. Evans (Southend United); H. P. Evans (Cardiff City), J. T. Jones (Crystal Palace), and Matthias (Wrexham); Hole (Swansea Town), S. Davies (West Bromwich Albion), L. Davies (Cardiff City), Richards (Wolverhampton Wanderers), and Vizard (Bolton Wanderers).

IRELAND VS. WALES.

Ireland held the lead and the hopes of 20,000 fellow countrymen until a few minutes before the finish at Windsor Park, April 1. Gillespie was the scorer for Ireland eight minutes after the start and so the contest remained until an unfortunate miscalculation by Mehaffy enabled the cross-channel players to make it evens at 1—1. Teams:

Ireland—Mehaffy (Queen's Island); W. McCracken (Newcastle United) and Curran (Glenavon); R. McCracken (Crystal Palace), O'Brien (Leicester City), and Emerson (Burnley); Lyner (Glentoran), Crooks (Manchester United), Doran (Brighton and Hove Albion), Gillespie (Sheffield United), and Toner (The Arsenal).

Wales—Peers (Port Vale); Russell (Plymouth Argyle) and J. H. Evans (Southern United); H. P. Evans (Cardiff City), J. T. Jones (Crystal Palace), and Matthias (Wrexham); S. Davies (West Bromwich Albion), Keenor (Cardiff City), L. Davies (Cardiff City), Ivor Jones (Swansea Town), and J. Evans (Cardiff City).

Referee, A. Ward (England).

ENGLAND VS. SCOTLAND.

The last contest of the series was also the deciding one and was played on April 8 at Acton Villa before an audience numbering 33,000. Scotland played consistently throughout, while the work of the English players was disappointing to their followers, inasmuch as the form exhibited was not as good as that shown in their club contests. The first half was scoreless. In the second half Dawson unfortunately kicked the ball against an opponent,

the rebound being captured by Wilson, who kicked the only goal. Score: 1—0. Teams:

England—Dawson (Burnley); Clay (Tottenham Hotspur) and Wadsworth (Huddersfield Town); Moss (Aston Villa), Wilson, Capt. (Sheffield Wednesday), and Bromilow (Liverpool); York (Aston Villa), Kelly (Burnley), Rawlings (Southampton), Walker (Aston Villa), and W. H. Smith (Huddersfield Town).

Scotland—Campbell (Partick Thistle); Marshall (Middlesbrough) and Blair (Cardiff City); Gilchrist (Celtic), Cringan (Celtic), and McBain (Manchester United); Archibald (Rangers), Crosbie (Birmingham); Wilson (Middlesbrough), Cairns (Rangers), and Morton (Rangers).

Referee, T. Dougary (Scotland). Linesmen, J. F. Pearson and A. G. Adamson.

IRELAND VS. NORWAY.

Ireland sent a team of amateurs and professionals to Norway in May to play two matches against Norway. The first match at Bergen on May 25 was won by Norway by 2 goals to 1. The second match at Christiania on May 28 was won by Ireland by 3 goals to 1.

Ireland—A. Harland (Linfield); A. McCluggage (Cliftonville) and J. Curran (Glenavon); R. McCracken (Linfield), G. Morgan (Linfield), and D. Addis (Cliftonville); H. McKenzie (Distillery), T. Croft (Queen's Island), P. J. Dalrymple (Distillery), H. L. Meek (Glentoran), and R. Collins (Cliftonville).

In the second match W. McCleery (Cliftonville) took the place of R. Collins.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE, SEASON 1921-1922.

DIVISION NO. 1—FINAL STANDING.

Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.	Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Celtic	27	2	13	83	20	67	Morton	16	16	10	58	57	42
Rangers	28	4	10	83	26	66	Motherwell	16	19	7	63	58	39
Raith Rovers	10	10	13	66	43	51	Ayr United	13	17	12	55	63	38
Dundee	19	12	11	57	40	49	Aberdeen	13	20	9	48	54	35
Falkirk	16	9	17	48	38	49	Airdrieonians	12	19	11	46	56	35
Partick Thistle	20	14	8	57	53	48	Kilmarnock	13	20	9	56	83	35
Hibernians	16	12	14	55	44	46	Hamil'n Acads.	9	17	16	51	62	34
St. Mirren	17	13	12	71	61	46	Hrt of Midlln.	11	21	10	50	60	42
Third Lanark	17	13	12	58	52	46	Dumbarton	9	23	10	38	82	28
Clyde	16	14	12	60	51	44	Queen's Park	9	23	10	38	82	28
Albion Rovers	17	15	10	55	51	44	Clydebank	6	28	8	34	103	20

DIVISION NO. 2—FINAL STANDING.

Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.	Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Alloa	26	4	8	81	32	60	Dunf'line Ath.	14	14	10	56	42	38
Cowdenheath	19	10	9	56	30	47	East Fife	15	16	7	55	54	37
Armadale	20	13	5	64	49	45	St. Johnstone	12	15	11	41	52	35
Vale of Leven	17	11	10	56	43	44	Forfar Ath.	11	15	12	44	53	34
Bathgate	16	11	11	56	41	43	E. Stirl'gshire	12	16	10	43	60	34
Broxburn Utd.	14	13	11	43	43	39	Arbroath	11	16	11	45	56	33
Bo'ness	16	15	7	56	49	39	King's Park	10	16	12	47	65	32
St. Bernard	15	15	8	50	49	38	Lochgelly Utd.	11	18	9	46	56	31
Stenhousemuir	14	14	10	50	51	38	Dundee Hiber.	10	20	8	47	65	28
Johnstone	14	14	10	46	59	38	Clackmannan	10	21	7	41	75	27

Alloa gain promotion to Division No. 1, and Dundee Hibernians and Clackmannan, as the two lowest clubs, retire from the competition.

ENGLISH FOOTBALL LEAGUE SEASON, 1921-1922.

Division No. 1—Final Standing.

Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.	Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Liverpool 22	7	13	63	36	57	Sunderland 16	18	8	60	62	40
Totten'm Hot..21	12	9	65	39	51	W. Bmw'h Al.15	17	10	51	63	40
Burnley 22	15	5	72	54	49	Huddersf'd Tn.15	18	9	53	54	39
Cardiff City....19	13	10	61	53	48	Blackburn Rv.13	17	12	54	57	38
Aston Villa....22	17	3	74	55	47	Preston N. E..13	17	12	42	65	38
Bolton Wan's..20	15	7	68	59	47	The Arsenal ..15	20	7	47	56	37
Newcastle Utd.18	14	10	59	45	46	Oldham Ath...13	18	11	38	50	37
Middlesbrough.16	12	14	79	69	46	Birmingham....15	20	7	48	60	37
Chelsea 17	13	12	40	43	46	Everton 12	18	12	57	55	36
Manchester City18	15	9	65	70	45	Bradford City.11	21	10	48	72	32
Sheffield Utd...15	17	10	59	54	40	Manches'r Utd. 8	22	12	41	73	28

Division No. 2—Final Standing.

Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.	Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Not'gham For.22	8	12	51	30	56	Derby County.15	18	9	60	64	39
Stoke 18	8	16	60	44	52	Notts County..12	15	15	47	51	39
Barnsley 22	12	8	67	52	52	Crystal Palace.13	16	13	45	51	39
W. Ham Utd..20	14	8	52	39	48	Clapton Orient.15	18	9	43	50	39
Hull City.....19	13	10	51	41	48	Rotherham Co.14	17	11	32	43	39
South Shields..17	13	12	43	38	46	Wolverh'n W...13	18	11	44	49	37
Fulham 18	15	9	57	38	45	Port Vale 14	20	8	43	57	36
Leeds United..16	13	13	48	38	45	Blackpool 15	22	5	44	57	35
Leicester City.14	11	17	39	34	45	Coventry City. 12	20	10	51	60	34
The Wednes'y.15	13	14	47	50	44	Bradford 12	21	9	46	62	33
Bury 15	17	10	54	55	40	Bristol City...12	21	9	37	58	33

Division No. 3 (Southern Section)—Final Standing.

Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.	Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Southampton...23	4	15	68	21	61	Millwall 10	14	18	38	42	38
Plym. Argyle.25	6	11	63	24	61	Reading 14	18	10	40	47	38
Portsmouth ...18	7	17	62	39	53	Bristol Rovers.14	18	10	52	67	38
Luton Town....22	12	8	64	35	52	Norwich City..12	17	13	50	62	37
Queen's Pk. R.18	11	13	53	44	49	Charlton Ath..13	18	11	43	56	37
Swindon Town.16	13	13	72	60	45	Northampton ..13	18	11	47	71	37
Watford 13	11	18	54	48	44	Gillingham 14	20	8	47	60	36
Aberdare 17	15	10	57	51	44	Btn. & H. A..13	20	9	45	51	35
Brentford 16	15	11	52	43	43	Newport Co....11	19	12	44	61	34
Swansea Town.13	14	15	50	47	41	Exeter City ...11	19	12	38	59	34
Merthyr Town.17	19	6	45	56	40	Southend Utd.. 8	23	11	34	74	27

Division No. 3 (Northern Section)—Final Standing.

Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.	Club.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Stockpt County24	6	8	60	21	56	Durham City..17	18	3	68	67	37
Darlington 22	10	6	81	37	50	Wrexham 14	15	9	51	56	37
Grimsby Town.21	9	8	72	47	50	Chesterfield ...16	19	3	48	67	35
Hartlep'ls Utd.17	13	8	52	39	42	Lincoln City...14	18	6	48	59	34
Accr. Stanley..19	16	3	73	57	41	Barrow 14	19	5	42	54	33
Crewe Alex'a..18	15	5	60	56	41	Nelson 13	18	7	48	66	33
Stal. Celtic....18	15	5	62	63	41	Wigan Bor'h...11	18	9	46	72	31
Walsall 18	17	3	66	65	39	Tranmere Rov. 9	18	11	51	61	29
Southport 14	14	10	55	44	38	Halifax Town.10	19	9	56	76	29
Ashington 17	17	4	59	66	38	Rochdale 11	23	4	52	77	26

LEADING GOAL SCORERS ENGLISH LEAGUE, 1921-1922.

DIVISION No. 1.

Wilson (Middlesb'h).... 31
Jack (Bolton Wand'rs) 24
Harris (Newcastle U.). 22
Walker (Aston Villa).. 22
Browell (M'chester C.) 21
Buchan (Sunderland)... 21
Anderson (Burnley).... 20
Barnes (M'chester C.).. 20
Gill (Cardiff City)..... 20
Dickson (Aston Villa).. 20
Chambers (Liverpool).. 19
Kelly (Burnley)..... 18
F. Roberts (Bolton W.) 18
T. Roberts (P. N. E.).. 18

Smith (Bolton W.)..... 18
L. Davies (Cardiff C.).. 17
Forshaw (Liverpool).... 17
Johnson (Sheffield Utd) 17
McDonald (Newc'le U.) 16
G. Carr (Middlesb'h).. 15
Davies (W. Brom. A.). 15
Spence (Manchester U.) 15
Dawson (Blackburn R.) 14
Gillespie (Sheffield U.). 14
Hibbert (Bradford City) 14
White (Arsenal) 14
Butler (Oldham Ath.).. 13
Cock (Chelsea) 13

Elliott (Middlesb'h).... 13
Morris (W. Brom. A.). 13
Fazackerley (Everton). 12
Woodhouse (P. N. E.).. 12
Irvine (Everton)..... 11
Islip (Huddersfield T.). 11
Kirton (Aston Villa)... 11
Wilson (Tottenham H.) 11
Boreham (Arsenal)..... 10
Bradford (Birmingham) 10
Clennel (Cardiff City). 10
Crosbie (Birmingham).. 10
Seed (Tottenham H.)... 10

DIVISION No. 2.

P. Broad (Stoke)..... 25
Stevens (Coventry City) 20
Spaven (Notts Forest).. 18
Fletcher (Barnsley).... 17
Flood (Hull City)..... 17
Travers (Fulham)..... 17
Moore (Derby County). 16
Puddefoot (W.Ham P.) 15
Wainscoat (Barnsley).. 15

Bauchop (Bradford).... 14
Edmonds (Wolv'n W.). 13
Howarth (Leeds Utd).. 13
Groves (Stoke)..... 12
Hine (Barnsley)..... 12
Lyons (Derby County).. 12
Shea (Fulham) 12
Bedford (Blackpool).... 11
Fairclough (Bristol C.) 11

Mills (Hull City)..... 11
Pape (Rotherham S.)... 11
Paterson (Derby Co.).. 11
Rennox (Clapton Or't). 11
*Trotter (Bury)..... 11
Watson (W. Ham U.). 11
Hammerton (Barnsley). 10
Smith (South Shields). 10
Swan (Leeds United).. 10

* Trotter also scored once for Sheffield Wednesday.

DIVISION No 3—SOUTHERN SECTION.

Richardson (Plym. A.). 31
Rawlings (Southamp'n) 29
Doran (Btn. & H.A.)... 23
Cherrett (Portsmouth).. 20
Birch (Queen's Pk R). 19
Morris (Brentford)..... 18
Simms (Luton Town).. 18
Lockett (Northampton) 17
J. C. Martin (Aber. A.) 16
Pagnam (Watford)..... 16
Leigh (Bristol Rovers). 15

Myers (Aberdare Ath.) 15
Anstiss (Brentford).... 14
Whitworth (North'm)... 14
Dominy (Southamp'n).. 13
Jennings (Reading)..... 13
Phillipson (Swindon T.) 13
Turner (Merthyr Town) 13
Higginbotham (Ltn T.) 12
Etringfellow (Ports'h). 12
Edmondson (Swan. T.). 11
Fleming (Swindon Tn) 11

Freeman (Gillingham). 11
Brown (Swansea Town) 10
Cooke (Swindon Town) 10
W. F. Edwards (New-
port County)..... 10
J. H. Evans (Sth'd U.) 10
Hall (Gillingham)..... 10
Kirk (Exeter City)..... 10
Smith (Queen's Pk. R.) 10
Smith (Watford)..... 10
Vowles (Exeter City).. 10

DIVISION No 3—NORTHERN SECTION.

Carmichael (Gmsby T.) 37
Glover (Southport)..... 26
Green (Accrington S.). 22
Reid (Walsall)..... 22
Caulfield (Crewe A.)... 19
Hooper (Darlington)... 18
Makin (Accrington S.). 18
Robertson (Ashington). 18
Cousins (Durham City) 17
Petrie (Stalybridge C.). 17
Wolstenholme (Darl'n) 17

Dennison (Rochdale)... 16
Eddelston (Nelson)..... 15
Nelis (Accrington S.).. 14
Sharkey (Barrow)..... 14
Freeman (Wigan B.)... 13
J. Miller (Grimsby T.). 13
Young (Durham City).. 13
Butler Walsall)..... 12
Chambers (Lincoln Cy) 12
Gee (Stalybridge Celt) 12
Hosker (Accrington S.) 12

O'Kane (Stockport C.). 12
Robertson (Htlepls U.) 12
Woods (Halifax Town) 12
Gault (Stockport C.)... 11
Hetherington (Hal. T.) 11
Thompson (Stalybr. C.) 11
Hardy (Hartlepools U.) 10
Parkinson (Htlepls U.) 10
Rippon (Lincoln City).. 10
Rowlands (Crewe A.).. 10

LEADING GOAL SCORERS SCOTTISH LEAGUE, SEASON 1921-22.

DIVISION No. 1.

Walker (St. Mirren)... 45
Ferguson (Motherwell). 34
French (Morton)..... 28
Brown (Clyde)..... 27
Woods (Dumbarton).... 25
Halliday (Dundee)..... 24
Jennings (Raith Rov.) 22
Culley (Kilmarnock)... 21
Henderson (Rangers)... 21
Miller (Aberdeen)..... 21
Reid (Albion Rovers).. 20

Cassidy (Celtic)..... 18
Gallagher (Celtic)..... 17
McInally (Celtic)..... 17
Slade (Ayr United)..... 17
F. Walker (T. Lanark) 15
Cunningham (Rangers) 14
John White (Albion R.) 14
Bird (Dundee)..... 13
Blair (Partick Thistle). 12
Cairns (Rangers)..... 12
Duncan (Clyde)..... 12

Forbes (Hearts)..... 12
Bauld (Raith Rovers).. 11
Kinloch (Partick This.) 11
McLean (Hamilton A.) 11
Thomson (St. Mirren).. 11
McCall (Partick This.) 10
McMullan (Hamil'n A.) 10
Thomson (Aberdeen)... 10
Young (Hibernians).... 10

OTHER OVERSEAS FIXTURES.

IRISH CUP, 1921-22.

Linfield vs. Glenavon—Final tie played on the Glentoran F.C. ground at Belfast, March 25. Won by Linfield, 2 goals to 0. Savage and McCracken scoring for the winners and Boyd for Glenavon. Teams:

Linfield—Harland; Gain and Frame; Wallace, Morgan and McIlveen; T. Cowan, McCracken, Savage, McIlreavy and Scott.

Glenavon—Morrow; Brown and Curran; Barbour, Shortt, and Killen; McMullan, Thompson, Rush, Boyd and McMahon.

Referee—Mr. J. Thompson (Belfast).

WELSH CUP, 1921-22.

Cardiff City vs. Ton Pentre—Final tie played at Pontypridd, May 4. Won by Cardiff City, 2—1. Teams:

Cardiff City—B. Davies; Brittan and Blair; H. P. Evans, Smith and Keenor; Grimshaw, Gill, L. Davies, Clennell and Evans.

Ton Pentre—Reed; Butler and Tanner; Adamson, Gillespie and Poynton; Nicholls, Rees, J. Jones, Woods and W. J. Jones.

LONDON CHALLENGE CUP, 1921-22.

Arsenal vs. Crystal Palace—Final tie played on Milwall ground at New Cross, May 8, and won by the Arsenal by a penalty goal (Hutchins) to nil. Teams:

Crystal Palace—Irwin; Little and Rhodes; Greener, Jones and Feebury; Batesman, Conner, Whitworth, Cartwright and Hand.

Arsenal—Williamson; Bradshaw and Hutchins; Baker, Butler and Whittaker; Henderson, White, Turnbull, R. Boreham and Blyth.

FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION CHARITY SHIELD, 1921-22.

Huddersfield Town vs. Liverpool—Won by Huddersfield Town 1 goal to nil. Teams:

Huddersfield Town—Mutch; Wood and Wadsworth; Slade, Wilson and Watson; Richardson, Mann, Islip, Stephenson, and Smith.

Liverpool—Scott; Longworth and McKinlay; MacNab, Wadsworth and Bromilow; Lacey, Forshaw, Chambers, Beadles and Hopkin.

CUP FINALS.

English Football Association Cup, 1921-1922.

Huddersfield Town (1) vs. Preston North End (0)—Played on the ground of the Chelsea F.C., Stamford Bridge, April 29, 1922. Attendance, 53,000; receipts, £10,551. The only goal was scored twenty-three minutes after the second half commenced. Smith, Huddersfield outside left, was converging on goal when he was badly tripped by Hamilton. The referee awarded a penalty kick and Smith took the kick and scored. Details of the players on each team are as follows:

HUDDERSFIELD TOWN.

Name and Birthplace.	Height. Ft.	In.	Weight. Lbs.	Name and Birthplace.	Height. Ft.	In.	Weight. Lbs.
•A. Mutch, Aberdeen.....	6	0	175	•W. Watson, Wath.....	5	9	156
•J. W. Wood, Sunderland..	5	7	156	•G. E. Richardson, Seatham	5	6½	176
S. J. Wadsworth, Nelson..	5	9¼	170	•F. D. Mann, Newark.....	5	7½	163
•C. Slade, Bath.....	5	7	151	†C. Stephenson, Seaton Del..	5	7½	171
•T. Wilson, Sunderland....	5	10	174	W. H. Smith, Tantoby....	5	10	163

•Played in Cup Final, 1920, for Huddersfield Town. †Played for Aston Villa in Cup-winning teams, 1913 and 1920.

PRESTON NORTH END.

Name and Birthplace.	Height. Ft.	In.	Weight. Lbs.	Name and Birthplace.	Height. Ft.	In.	Weight. Lbs.
J. F. Mitchell, Clitheroe..	6	1	182	A. Rawlings, Shirebrook..	5	11	164
T. Hamilton, New Cumnock	5	9½	180	F. Jefferis, Fordingbridge.	5	10	168
A. Doolan, Annbank.....	5	10½	168	W. T. Roberts, Handsworth	5	10½	168
T. Duxbury, Accrington...	5	7	154	R. T. Woodhouse, Leyland	5	6	140
J. M'Call, Kirkham.....	5	8	160	P. Quinn, Sunderland.....	5	7½	154
J. Williamson, Lesmahagow	5	6	140				

Referee, J. W. D. Fowler (Sunderland). Linesmen, D. H. Asson (West Bromwich) and W. E. Russell (Swindon).

Scottish Cup, Season 1921-22.

Greenock Morton (1) vs. Rangers (0)—Played at Hampden Park, Glasgow, April 15, 1922. Attendance, 68,000. Gourlay scored the only goal of the match from a free kick. Rangers had the better of the game throughout, but Morton defended splendidly. Teams:

Rangers—Robb; Manderson and McCandless; Meiklejohn, Dixon and Muirhead; Archibald, Cunningham, Henderson, Cairns and Morton.

Morton—Edwards; McIntyre and R. Brown; Gourlay, Wright and McGregor; McNab, McKay, Buchanan, A. Brown and McMinn.

Referee, T. Dougray, Bellshill.

ENGLAND vs. SCOTLAND, 1872-1920

	S.	E.		S.	E.		S.	E.
1872—Glasgow	0	0	1889—The Oval.....	3	2	1905—Crystal Pal....	0	1
1873—The Oval.....	2	4	1890—Glasgow	1	1	1906—Glasgow	2	1
1874—Glasgow	2	1	1891—Blackburn	1	2	1907—Newcastle	1	1
1875—The Oval.....	2	2	1892—Glasgow	1	4	1908—Glasgow	1	1
1876—Glasgow	3	0	1893—Richmond	2	5	1909—Crystal Pal....	0	2
1877—The Oval.....	3	1	1894—Glasgow	2	2	1910—Glasgow	2	0
1878—Glasgow	7	2	1895—Everton	0	3	1911—Everton	1	1
1879—The Oval.....	4	5	1896—Glasgow	2	1	1912—Glasgow	1	1
1880—Glasgow	5	4	1897—Crystal Palace	2	1	1913—Stam. Bridge..	0	1
1881—The Oval.....	6	1	1898—Glasgow	1	3	1914—Glasgow	3	1
1882—Glasgow	5	1	1899—Birmingham ..	1	2	1915-16-17-18—Not Played.		
1883—Sheffield	3	2	1900—Glasgow	4	1	1919—Everton†	2	2
1884—Glasgow	1	0	1901—Crystal Palace	2	2	1919—Glasgow	3	4
1885—The Oval.....	1	1	1902—Glasgow*	1	1	1920—Hillsboro'	4	5
1886—Glasgow	1	1	1902—Birmingham ..	2	2	1921—Glasgow	3	0
1887—Blackburn	3	2	1903—Sheffield	2	1	1922—Scotland	1	0
1888—Glasgow	0	5	1904—Glasgow	0	1			

Scotland won 19, England 14; drawn 12, Scotland 92 goals, England 80.

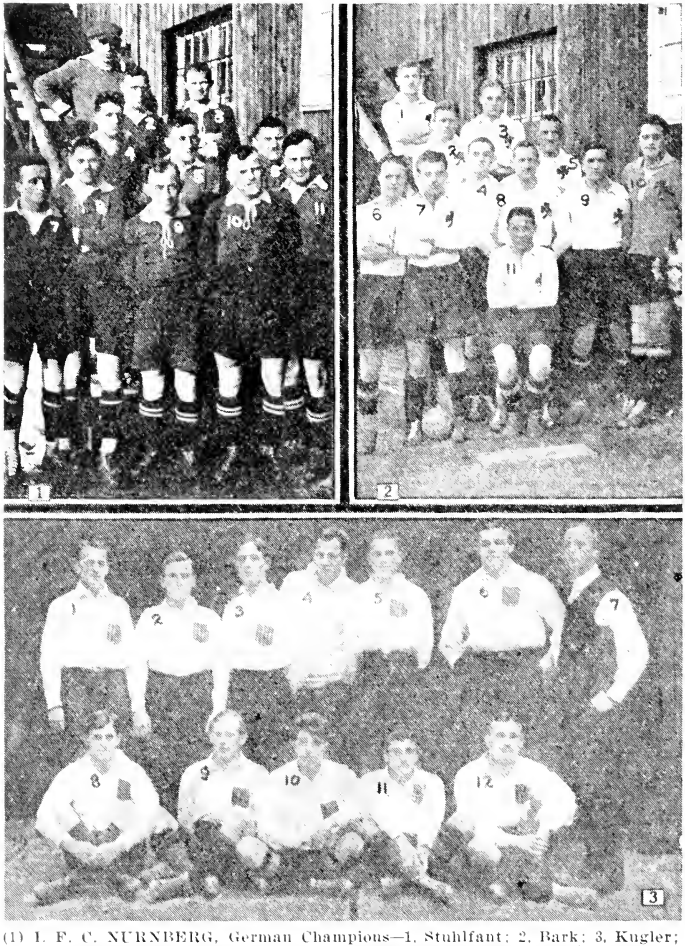
•Ibrox disaster; match declared unofficial. †Unofficial "Victory" matches and not included in analyses.

1, Anton Johanson, Stockholm, President Swedish Football Association. Who says least, yet has the most say in football matters on the Continent. 2, Prof. R. Hefner, Offenburg, Baden. Guiding spirit in German football matters and one of the world's foremost authorities in the sport. 3, Georg P. Blaschke, Kiel. Honorary Secretary of the German Football Association for many years past.

ENGLISH FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION CUP WINNERS

1871-72—Wanderers d. Royal Engineers, 1—0.
1872-73—Wanderes d. Oxford d. University, 2—0
1873-74—Oxford University d Royal Engineers, 2—0.
1874-75—Royal Engineers d. Old Etonians, 2—0, after a draw.
1875-76—Wanderers d. Old Etonians, 3—0, after a draw.
1876-77—Wanderers d. Oxford University, 2—0, after an extra half hour.
1877-78—Wanderers d. Royal Engineers, 3—1.*
1878-79—Old Etonians d. Clapham Rovers, 1—0.
1879-80—Clapham Rovers d. Oxford University, 1—0.
1880-81—Old Carthusians d. Old Etonians, 3—0.
1881-82—Old Etonians d. Blackburn Rovers, 1—0.
1882-83—Blackburn Olympic d. Old Etonians, 2—1, after an extra half-hour.
1883-84—Blackburn Rovers d. Queen's Park, Glasgow, 2—1.
1884-85—Blackburn Rovers d. Queen's Park, Glasgow, 2—0.
1885-86—Blackburn Rovers d. West Bromwich Albion, 2—0, after a drawn game.†‡
1886-87—Aston Villa d. West Bromwich Albion, 2—0.
1887-88—West Bromwich Albion d. Preston North End, 2—1.
1888-89—Preston North End d. Wolverhampton Wand, 3—0.
1889-90—Blackburn Rovers d. Sheffield Wednesday, 6—1.
1890-91—Blackburn Rovers d. Notts County, 3—1.
1891-92—West Bromwich Albion d. Aston Villa, 3—0.
1892-93—Wolverhampton Wanderers d. Everton, 1—0.
1893-94—Notts County d. Bolton Wanderers, 4—1.
1894-95—Aston Villa d. West Bromwich, 1—0.
1895-96—Sheffield Wednesday d. Wolverhampton Wanderers, 2—1.
1896-97—Aston Villa d. Everton, 3—2.
1897-98—Nottingham Forest d. Derby County, 3—1.
1898-99—Sheffield United d. Derby County, 4—1.
1899-00—Bury d. Southampton, 4—0.
1900-01—Tottenham H. d. Sheffield United, after a draw, 2—2, 3—1 (a).
1901-02—Sheffield United d. Southampton, after a draw, 1—1, 2—1.
1902-03—Bury d. Derby County, 6—0.
1903-04—Manchester City d. Bolton Wanderers, 1—0.
1904-05—Aston Villa d. Newcastle United, 2—0.
1905-06—Everton d. Newcastle United, 1—0.
1906-07—Sheffield Wednesday d. Everton, 2—1.
1907-08—Wolverhampton Wanderers d. Newcastle United, 3—1.
1908-09—Manchester United d. Bristol City, 1—0.
1909-10—Newcastle d. Barnsley, after a draw, 1—1, 2—0 (b).
1910-11—Bradford City d. Newcastle United, after a draw, 0—0, 1—0 (c).
1911-12—Barnsley d. West Bromwich Albion, after a draw, 0—0, 1—0 (d), and an extra half hour in the replay.
1912-13—Aston Villa beat Sunderland, 1—0.
1913-14—Burnley d. Liverpool, 1—0.
1914-15—Sheffield United d. Chelsea, 3—0 (e).
1915-16, 1916-17, 1917-18, 1918-19—No Competition.
1919-20—Aston Villa d. Huddersfield Town, 1—0 (f), after extra time.
1920-21—Tottenham Hotspur beat Wolverhampton W., 1—0 (f), after extra time.
1921-22—Huddersfield Town d. Preston North End, 1—0.

*Won outright, but restored to the Association. †A special trophy was awarded for the third consecutive win. ‡First time final tie played in the provinces—at Derby. (a) Replayed at Bolton. (b) Replayed at Everton. (c) Replayed at Old Trafford. (d) Replayed at Bramhall Lane, Sheffield; new trophy provided. (e) Played at Old Trafford. (f) Played at Stamford Bridge.



(1) 1. F. C. NURNBERG, German Champions—1, Stuhlfant; 2, Bark; 3, Kugler; 4, Grunerwald; 5, Kalb; 6, Riegel; 7, Strobel; 8, Popp; 9, Bos; 10, Trag; 11, Sutor. (2) SPIELVEREINIGUNG FURTH, I. MSCHFT—1, Loblein; 2, Sill; 3, Kleinlein; 4, Lang; 5, Gimpel; 6, Muller; 7, Seiderer; 8, Wellhofer; 9, Franz; 10, Lohrmann; 11, Hayen. (3) KARLSRUHER F. V., with Mr. Townley, Trainer.

Football in Central Europe

By Prof. Robert Hefner, Offenburg, Baden, Germany.

First let some numbers speak, numbers which are continuously increasing. On January 1, 1921, the German F.A. counted 756,703 members in 4,361 clubs. A total of 385,341 players played 342,572 matches in 1921. Of these players, 47,000 were up to fourteen years old, 124,000 up to eighteen, 210,000 from eighteen to forty and 2,000 over forty years. There were 2,000 teams of boy players, 6,000 teams of players of fourteen to eighteen, 12,000 teams of players up to thirty-two years, and 500 teams of older players.

In all 144,000 matches were played in the official competitions of the different associations, 200,000 friendly matches were played, 261 matches were contested abroad, and foreign teams played 1,100 matches in Germany. By April 1, 1922, these figures probably had increased by 50 per cent.

So the German F.A. is certainly the largest football association in the world. The number of first class clubs has greatly increased and there are very many club teams which are among the best teams of Europe.

At the top of all club teams is at present the German Champion F.C. of Nurnberg and F.C. Furth in Bavaria, but some other teams nearly reach the high class of these clubs. As such, I wish to name: F.C. Wacker, Munich; Sp. V., Hamburg; Sp. V., Liepsig; F.C. Holstein, Kiel; F.C. Pforzheim, F.C. Freiburg and so on. The clubs of Southern Germany prefer the short passing game, while in Northern Germany the kick and rush play is more popular.

The number of playgrounds would increase in the same degree but for the financial difficulties of Germany in general. The prices of estates are enormous. In spite of this, there is a considerable number of splendid grounds, the best of all being the German Stadium in Berlin where the German games were played in June, 1922. The largest football grounds now give view to 20,000 and 40,000 spectators, and the gate receipts are steadily increasing.

The German F.A. has two official competitions. The German championship for club teams is played between the First League champions of the seven district associations. The German Cup Competition is disputed by representative teams of the district associations referred to.

Since the war German clubs have played in Switzerland, Austria, Hungary, Holland, Sweden, Norway and Italy and made an excellent impression. The German National team played against Switzerland, Finland, Austria and Hungary.

This information may well prove that the recent progress of soccer football has been enormous in Germany.

South American Football Championship

At Rio Janeiro, on October 22, 1922, Brazil won the South American football championship by defeating Paraguay, 3 to 0, in the final game of the season. The positions of the teams at the end of the series of games was as follows: Brazil, first; Paraguay, second; Uruguay, third; Argentina, fourth, and Chile, fifth.

Continental International Matches

BY OSCAR KOLB.

Czecho-Slovakia merited the title of soccer football champion of all Europe last season, but the play of the German, Hungarian and Swedish teams was of a high order.

Chronologically, the results of the international matches of chief importance were as follows:

At Helsingfors, Sept., 1921—Finland 3, Germany 3. Attendance 8,000.

At Dusseldorf, Oct., 1921—South Germany 6, West Germany 0. Attendance 27,000.

At Copenhagen, Oct., 1921—Denmark 3, Norway 1. Attendance 20,000. King Christian of Denmark attended.

At Bilboa, Oct. 9, 1921—Spain 2, Belgium 0. Attendance 25,000.

At Budapest, Dec. 18, 1921—Hungary 1, Poland 0. Attendance 10,000.

At Berlin, 1922—Spielvereinigung Furth, Germany, 4; Slavia, Prague, Czecho-Slovakia, 0. Attendance 10,000.

At Milan (first international game between Austria and Italy since 1914)—Austria 3, Italy 3. Attendance 15,000.

At Antwerp, March 22, 1922—Belgium 4, Holland 0. Referee, Newman, England. Attendance 30,000.

At Frankfurt-am-Main, March 26, 1922—Switzerland 2, Germany 2. Attendance 40,000.

At Vienna, April 23, 1922—Germany 2, Austria 0. Referee, Garo, Hungary. Attendance 70,000 (record for the Continent). Receipts exceeded 25,000,000 kronen.

At Berlin, May 30, 1922—Berlin 1, Glasgow Celtics 1. Referee, Dr. Bauwens. Goals: Celtics, McLean; Berlin, McNair.

At Christiania—Norway 2, Ireland 1.

At Stockholm—Poland 2, Sweden 1. Referee, Maisl, Austria.

At Copenhagen—Combined Danish 2, Chelsea, England 1. Attendance 17,000.

At Stockholm, June, 1922—Sweden 2, Norway 0.

At Bacheim, Germany, July 2, 1922—Germany 0, Hungary 0. Referee, Retzburg, Vienna.

At Stockholm, July 9, 1922—Sweden 1, Hungary 1. Referee, Anderson, Denmark. Attendance 16,000.

At Helsingfors, July 22—Hungary 5, Finland 1 (half-time score, Finland 1, Hungary 0). Referee, Bjorklund, Sweden.

At Stockholm, August 13—Czecho-Slovakia 2, Sweden 0.

At Prague, Czecho-Slovakia—Sparta (Prague) 2, Celtics (Glasgow) 1. Sparta 2, Celtics 0. Slavia 3, Celtics 2.

At Bordeaux, April 30, 1922—Spain 4, France 0. Attendance 10,000.

At Budapest, May 28—Switzerland 1, Hungary 1. Referee, Retzburg, Vienna. Attendance 30,000.

At Prague—Slavia 2, Aberdeen (Scotland) 1.

At Vienna, May 21—Switzerland 7, Austria 1. Attendance 50,000.

At Budapest, April 30—Austria 1, Hungary 1. Referee, Dr. Bauwens, Germany. Attendance 35,000. Goals, Austria: Ziszda; Hungary, Molnar.

At Paris—France 2, Belgium 1.

At Nuremberg, Germany—South Germany 2, Austria 0. Attendance 15,000.

At Turin—Italy 1, Czecho-Slovakia 1. Referee, Slavick, Paris. Attendance 25,000.

At Stockholm—Sweden 0, Denmark 0. Attendance 20,000.

At Paris, Pershing Stadium—Holland 5, France 0. Admission 3 to 25 francs, a record price.

At Berlin—Hamburg 2, Berlin 2. Attendance 35,000.

At Hamburg—North Germany 5, North Holland 1. Attendance 22,000.

At Madrid—Spain 3, Portugal 1.

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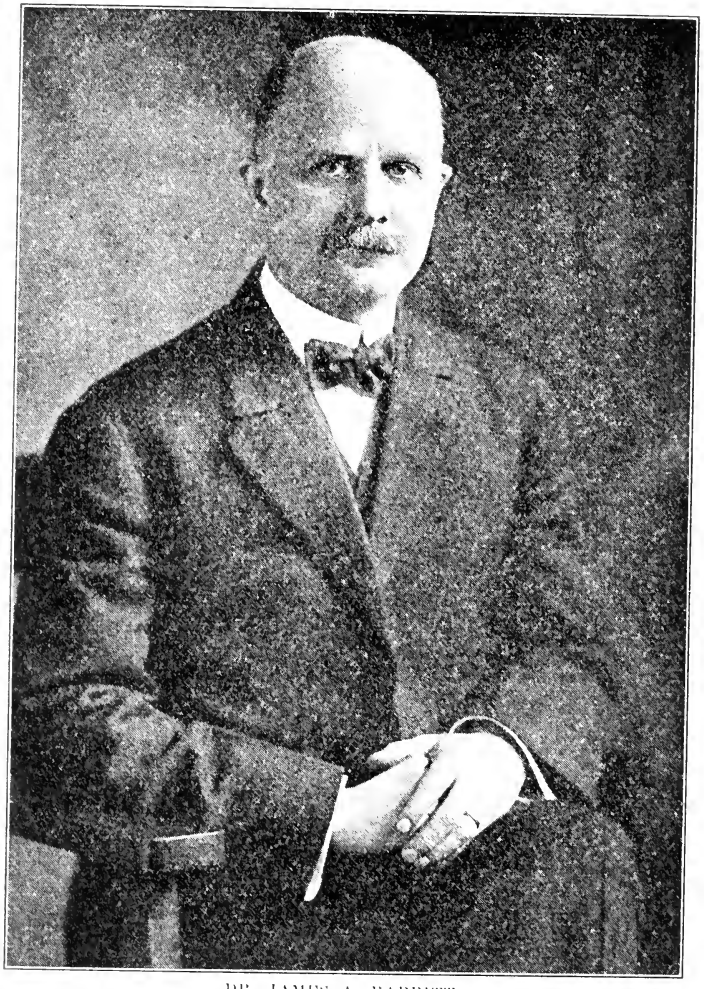

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Eastern Collegiate Soccer

By Douglas Stewart.

The Intercollegiate Soccer season of 1921 was notable for the definite improvement in form and playing ability of the Princeton and Cornell teams, these two teams playing easily the best form of any teams which have ever represented either college. The Princeton team was well balanced from goal to forward line; with center half and goal probably the strongest positions on the team; the forward line was strong, fast and aggressive; the half-back line good in containing and feeding tactics and the full-back line, in combination with the halves, quite dependable, as is proved by the low scoring on them.

The team as a whole worked well together and showed a greater knowledge of the game with more combination and real team play than has hitherto been characteristic of Princeton teams.

The Cornell team also was well balanced and while not so heavy as the Princetonians had a good knowledge of the game, was very fast, fairly accurate in their passing and worked well together. The half-back and forward lines combined well and with an accurate and deadly shot at center forward riddled most of the defences they played against. The team as a whole seemed to be a fairly close match with Princeton and on the form subsequently shown, it is difficult to believe that Princeton would have escaped scathless had the game between these teams been played later in the season. At any rate, both teams outclassed the other teams in the League.

Haverford and Pennsylvania tied for third place in the standing, with the goal average in favor of Haverford. The Haverford team was not quite up to the standard of the best Haverford teams and while it had a considerable degree of skill it lacked weight. The team was shot to pieces by injury during a good part of the season but pulled itself together for the Pennsylvania game and came through with a win; the team also defeated Yale, but went under badly to Harvard, due to playing two hard games on two successive days under bad weather conditions. Haverford, however, is not in position to put as strong a team in the field as formerly, owing to a greater number of sports taking up the attention of the students; nevertheless, the college maintained and played three soccer teams with a considerable degree of regularity.

The toppling of Pennsylvania from first or second place to being tied for third place was quite a shock to most followers of intercollegiate soccer. Pennsylvania has for so many years been either first or a very close second that it did not seem possible she would

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be shifted lower down the line. However, Penn took the field with a green team having on it but one regular player with any previous intercollegiate experience and came through fairly well considering their handicap. The loss by graduation of practically the entire previous year's team necessitated very intensive drilling of the candidates and while it was possible to teach them how to play the game it was impossible to impart to them that confidence on the field which can be gained only by experience. That the team could play the game, and at times with considerable confidence, was shown by the victories over Syracuse, Harvard, Yale and the Naval Academy, the last mentioned game being probably as fine an exhibition of the game as ever given by a collegiate team. The majority of the team will carry over to this season and all the teams they play will doubtless realize their strength.

Harvard, like Pennsylvania, started and went through the season with a green team and made a good showing in view of the handicap. Changes are understood to be taking place at Cambridge with regard to the game with the object of increasing the interest in the sport among the undergraduates. The strong freshman aggregation at Harvard should undoubtedly furnish some good material with which to augment the material which carried over from this season.

Yale, notwithstanding the good material available, was not able to make any sort of a showing, due to the lack of interest on the part of the athletic authorities.

All of the colleges in the league had good freshmen aggregations, which made a good showing against teams of their class. A movement is on foot to arrange games between the freshmen teams of the various colleges. Princeton and Pennsylvania freshmen teams have played each other for the past two seasons and there is no particular reason why the freshmen teams of the other colleges should not play, unless perhaps it is the matter of expense involved in traveling.

The teams put in the field by West Point, Annapolis, Springfield, Pennsylvania State, Syracuse, Dartmouth, Hamilton, Colgate and Amherst were good and shows how well the game is developing in intercollegiate circles.

The winning of the championship by Princeton and the taking of second place by Cornell cannot but be very beneficial for the development of the sport. The game has been played at Princeton for a very long time, but it is only since the war that it has been taken seriously and now that they have won the championship it is but natural to assume that they will strive earnestly to retain it. Cornell having a team which finished up practically as strong as Princeton will undoubtedly strive earnestly to maintain or better that position. Pennsylvania will without doubt make strenuous efforts to regain the position lost last season and the result of

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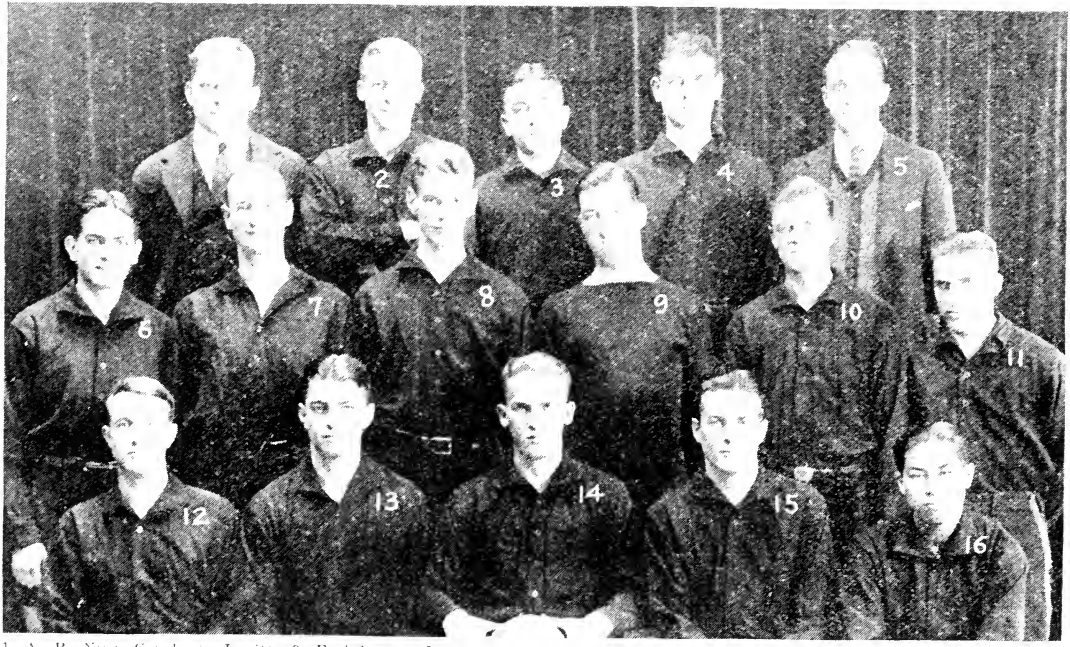
these efforts will bring about a three-cornered fight for the championship.

The personnel of the teams is practically native born, none of the teams having more than one foreign born player, and only two of them with such players.

The strong development of the game in preparatory and high schools is showing itself in the strength of the collegiate teams and accounts for the almost complete absence of foreign born players.

The playing off of the Pennsylvania State Intercollegiate Association Football League competition was remarkable for the large number of drawn games, all of the teams having at least two draws and some even three. On the face of it this indicates a very even strength of the teams and bespeaks a hard fight for the championship this season. Lehigh and Swarthmore had to play off for the championship, Swarthmore winning by one goal. Most of the teams carry over a majority of their players and these players augmented by the very good quality of freshmen which entered the various colleges in this league should enable much stronger teams to be placed in the field and consequently more intense struggles for victory.

The action of the Intercollegiate League in adopting a set of rules for playing the game adapted to American conditions will help things along considerably and get away from playing the game under purely British rules. The new rules are not materially different from the British rules, but have been revised and corrected to enable them to be more easily understood by players in this country.



1, A. B. Nies, Coach; 2, Jewitt; 3, Ferlaino; 4, Innes; 5, Tureman, Mgr.; 6, Seidensticker; 7, Smart; 8, Thomas; 9, Cooper; 10, Simmonds; 11, Whittingham; 12, Woodbridge; 13, Martin; 14, McIlvaine, Capt.; 15, Woods; 16, Petrachat.

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PRINCETON (N.J.) UNIVERSITY.

Champions Intercollegiate Association Football League, 1921-22.

Review of Soccer at the Colleges

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY.

In reviewing the first championship season of a Princeton soccer team, something must be said not only of the allround capabilities of the eleven but also of the fact that, from the standpoint of undergraduate interest, it was the best soccer season which the university had ever had. The 1921 team was enthusiastically supported throughout the fall by the student body and the number of men who turned out in the September squad was undoubtedly the largest in the history of the sport at Tigertown, being over 100, half of whom were freshmen.

Coach Albert B. Nies, who has been coaching the Orange and Black booters for three years, developed teams which were defeated only by Penn in 1919 and 1920. In 1921 his combination defeated the latter 5 to 1 in the final game of the season. Five first-string players only were left from the 1920 team when practice was opened in September, Cooper, Martin, McIlvaine, Smart and Woodbridge.

Although the team was rather slow in molding into shape, it developed gradually into a well-balanced, speedy, aggressive machine which functioned equally well on both offence and defence. The great weakness in the offence was the apparent lack of shooting power; time and again the team would carry the ball faultlessly down the field, only to fail in the kick for the goal. The team was very proficient in the use of both long and short passes in its attack, as is shown by the fact that Princeton kept the ball in enemy territory during most of the playing time of each game, but it was not until the end of the league fight that a real scoring power was displayed.

Of the individual men, the one who stood head and shoulders above the players in the entire league was T. S. Smart, 1923. Selected as center half-back on the 1921 All-Intercollegiate mythical combination, he had a great deal of skill in handling the ball, and his dribbling, trapping and heading were all spectacular. Smart's knowledge of the game was thorough, and he was a fine combination man.

J. C. Cooper, 1923, All-Intercollegiate choice for both 1920 and 1921, played his usual consistent and heady game at goal, while the graduation of W. B. McIlvaine, 1922, captain and right fullback, left a big hole in the defence. C. J. Woodbridge, 1923; E. C. Pitrachet, 1923, and E. T. Thomas, 1923, were mainstays of the attack.

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Philadelphia, Pa.
Coach of University of Pennsylvania Teams.

The university soccer team went through its schedule without losing a single Intercollegiate Soccer League game, scoring 13 points to its opponents' 1. In the nine contests which the team played, only one was lost to the experienced Staten Island eleven and one resulted in a tie against the Army. In the next game, against Dartmouth, a little improvement was shown, and although the Green had a hard-playing eleven, the Nassau team won by the score of 2 to 1.

The first league game, against Cornell, went to the Tigers by the count of 2 to 0, while in the Haverford contest Princeton showed steady improvement and left the field at the big end of a 1 to 0 score. In the next two games, with Harvard and Yale, there was no doubt from the start that Princeton would win, and in the final joust with Penn for the league championship the Orange and Black eleven was in top form, with every player in the best of condition.

HAVERFORD COLLEGE.

Officers, 1921—A. G. Muench, captain; E. A. Taylor, manager; J. C. Borton, C. D. Heyer, assistant managers; D. Oates, coach.

At the beginning of the season about sixty candidates showed up for soccer. The team rapidly rounded into shape and won some of the hardest games of the year in the first month. The game with Princeton was undoubtedly the stiffest match. It was extremely close throughout, the only score being a penalty shot by Princeton. Following this the team took a bad slump, due to Leeds and Muench's absence. However, the eleven rallied just in time to win from their old rival, University of Pennsylvania. The New England trip then brought out the impossibility of playing two consecutive days, for at Yale the machine worked to perfection, but at Harvard the men lacked punch to beat the Harvard men to the ball.

Although the second team was handicapped by the usual lack of material, the season was more successful than the two preceding it. While the team finished in last place in the State League, only two points more were scored against it than it scored on its opponents, two of the league games being tied, and two lost by a margin of one point each. The defense was strong, but inability to shoot kept the team from making a better record.

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The season of 1921 was an off season for the University of Pennsylvania, graduation of all but two of the 1920 squad making it necessary to build up an entire new team.

Over one hundred candidates reported to Coach Stewart, but all of them lacked the necessary experience to make up a 'varsity team

of the caliber of the previous year, although there were times during the season when the first team played very good soccer.

The same can be said of the second team, which was made up of raw material, and but for their ineffective work around their opponents' goal, nevertheless would have been a factor in deciding the Pennsylvania State Championship.

The third team was the most consistent performer, losing but one game in ten, and finishing the season by winning the championship of the Second Division Cricket Club League, beating Moorestown by 3 goals to 0 in the play-off for the title.

The freshmen team also made a very creditable showing, winning five out of eight games played.

The fourth and fifth teams did not do as well as some of the others, but improved in playing ability as the season went on. However, it is fully expected that Pennsylvania will be back in its old position fighting for the championships this year, as all of the players will have greater knowledge of the game, and a greater amount of experience to carry them over the barriers that may be in their way.

The officers for 1921 were: E. P. Patton, captain; R. P. Rhoads, manager; R. D. Hamilton, assistant manager; Douglas Stewart, coach.

COLGATE UNIVERSITY.

Last year, 1921, was the second season of soccer at Colgate. The leading games played were with West Point, Syracuse and Cornell. Taking in the quality of our opponents and considering the little experience on the whole the team made a commendable showing. Rochefellow at goal played a brilliant game, as did Bauman at center half. Other players deserving credit were Hiller at right half and Cooper at left forward.

LAFAYETTE COLLEGE.

Soccer made a wonderful comeback at Lafayette College last year. The sport was given recognition by the athletic association for the first time since before the war. The 1920-21 team played in a local league without recognition by the college and won the championship, losing but two of the twelve games played.

Last season Coach "Scotty" Cuthbertson had seven men from the 1920-21 team for a nucleus. Foreign students who had played the game in their native countries filled three of the four vacant positions, Full-backs Lee and Garrett coming from South America and Chinar respectively, and Valdevia, outside right, from South America.

With but a limited amount of practice the team surprised by losing but one game in the Pennsylvania State League competition.

The first resulted in a 2—0 victory for Lafayette over Pennsylvania. In the next game, Lafayette had a great number of opportunities to score but the best they could get was a 1—1 tie. This contest virtually lost the Maroon the championship.

The last two games were played away. The first, with Swarthmore, was a hard fought contest and the result was another 1—1 tie. The final game was with Lehigh. A victory for Lafayette would mean the championship and a tie would necessitate a post-season game with Swarthmore. Lehigh, however, won 1—0.

LEHIGH UNIVERSITY

Lehigh took a decided step to the fore in college soccer circles. By the narrow margin of one goal Lehigh missed capturing the coveted championship honors of the Pennsylvania State Intercollegiate Soccer League. Deadlocking with Swarthmore for the pennant at the end of the season the latter nosed out Lehigh by a 1 to 0 score.

There was a marked improvement in the interest of the student body towards soccer, which is fast taking hold throughout the college and rising to the formidable place it should occupy in Lehigh athletics. The Athletic Committee gave the sport a big boost by furnishing, for the first time in the history of the game at Lehigh, a coach to devote his entire time to developing the squad. The good results were witnessed in the excellent showing of the team under Coach Carpenter's tuition.

Lehigh registered 17 goals against 20 for their opponents. Of these, Fernandez secured 10, Bonnemaison 3, Mercur 3, and de Menezes 1.

PENNSYLVANIA STATE COLLEGE.

Penn State's football prowess is not by any means confined to the gridiron game. For the last three years the soccer team has not suffered a defeat and has played some of the best teams in the East. Last season Syracuse was defeated 3—0, Lehigh 3—1, and a 1—1 tie was played with Haverford. In the latter game two extra periods of five minutes each were necessary. Each year more interest is shown in this branch of sport and from the amount of material from which to select Penn State will continue its winning career.

SPRINGFIELD (MASS.) COLLEGE.

Due to their victories over Amherst, Yale, M.I.T. and Dartmouth, Springfield claims the New England Intercollegiate Championship. It was the college's second year without a defeat. Six nations were represented on the team. A Uruguayan, Grassi, center forward, was a leading player.

LELAND STANFORD UNIVERSITY.

Stanford's 'varsity soccer team, under the careful guidance of Coach Harry Maloney, for the third consecutive year won the championship of the University and Club Soccer League, which consists of teams from Stanford University, University of California, and several semi-professional teams in San Francisco. Out of a schedule series of twelve games the 'varsity won 7, tied 4, and lost 1, and at the same time succeeded in piling up a total of 19 points to their opponents' total of 6. The teams in the league for the most part were evenly matched and competition for the championship was keen. The university eleven, however, was one of the strongest teams that has ever represented Stanford and had little difficulty in downing their rivals by comparatively large scores.

Perhaps the hardest games of the season were the two with University of California. The first was played at Stanford and was a battle from start to finish. Neither succeeded in scoring in this contest, but playing on both sides was steady even though it was spectacular. Each team made systematic rushes on the other's goal, only to have them blocked and the rival team to get possession of the ball. In the second game, played on the California campus, Stanford won, 1—0, by a long kick from centerfield in the last few minutes of play. It was a great victory for Stanford, for it practically cinched the championship, besides giving Stanford the Pellas trophy offered for intercollegiate competition in soccer between the two institutions.

The Stanford squad was composed for the most part of men who have played three years of soccer under Harry Maloney. William Gorman captained the team and played left half, could always be counted on for both offense and defense. For co-workers in the half-back line he had Franklin at center and Walthers on the right. The forward line was composed of G. Elmore, C. Peavy, G. Clark, H. Dwight, and T. Green. These men have had a great deal of experience and worked together for over two years. M. Mendonca and J. Hayes played in the full-back positions. With Al Masters at goal, they made a defense that is hard to beat.

UNITED STATES NAVAL ACADEMY.

Intercollegiate soccer was begun at the United States Naval Academy by games with Pennsylvania and Swarthmore. The former won by a score of 4 to 1, but the latter was defeated by Navy 2 goals to 1. Besides these intercollegiate matches, much interest was shown in the interclass series, for which a hundred midshipmen came out as class-team candidates. The experience thus gained, both in the outside games and in the class series, should be of great help in the development of a representative team for this year's regular intercollegiate schedule.

Soccer should have an unusually bright future at the Naval Academy, for not only is it one of the few athletic games that the officer can continue to play after graduation, but it also is perhaps the only sport, among those of value to the enlisted man, that offers international competition.

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS.

Soccer is carried on as an intramural sport at the University of Illinois. During the past year four class teams and four college teams played. These teams were coached by Will Strode, an old soccer player who resides in Champaign, Illinois, and by James Brennan, a senior in the University of Illinois. About 125 students participated in soccer last fall on these eight teams, and some very spirited contests were the result.

According to Walter J. Wessman, intramural manager, 1921-22, soccer competition will be on the basis of fraternities and independent units, and judging from the fact that the university had 118 basket ball teams and 105 base ball teams entered on this basis in these two sports, there is no reason why there should not be at least fifty soccer teams this fall.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN.

Coach Schlatter had twenty teams playing last fall with approximately 300 men participating. These teams played an elimination series of twenty games. Interest in the game is increasing yearly and it is hoped that it soon will be recognized as one of the University's minor sports.

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Winners of Championships of Intercollegiate Association Football League.

1904-05—Haverford
1905-06—Haverford.
1906-07—Haverford
1907-08—Haverford
Yale
1908-09—Columbia
1909-10—Columbia
1910-11—Haverford
1911-12—Yale
1912-13—Harvard
1913-14—Harvard
*1914—Pennsylvania
1915—Haverford
1916—Pennsylvania
1917—Haverford
1918—No competition
1919—Pennsylvania
1920—Pennsylvania
1921—Princeton

*Changed to fall season in 1914.

Standing of Teams in Intercollegiate League, 1921.

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Drawn.	Goals For.	Goals Against	Pts.
Princeton	5	5	0	0	13	1	10
Cornell	5	4	1	0	18	4	8
Haverford	5	2	3	0	9	9	4
Pennsylvania	5	2	3	0	11	13	4
Harvard	5	2	3	0	10	13	4
Yale	5	0	5	0	0	21	0

All-Intercollegiate Eleven for 1921.
Selected by Douglas Stewart.

Goal	Cooper	Princeton
Right full-back (Capt.)	Patton	Pennsylvania
Left full-back	Futes	Cornell
Right half-back	Muench	Haverford
Center half-back	Smart	Princeton
Left half-back	Thompson	Cornell
Outside right	Righter	Cornell
Inside right	Woodbridge	Princeton
Center forward	Elli	Cornell
Inside left	Thomas	Princeton
Outside left	Jewett	Princeton

Intercollegiate League Results, 1921.

Oct. 22	Princeton	2	Cornell 0
29	Cornell	4	Yale 0
	Harvard	2	Pennsylvania 3
	Haverford	0	Princeton 1
Nov. 5	Princeton	2	Harvard 0
	Haverford	0	Cornell 3
12	Pennsylvania	1	Haverford 2
	Yale	0	Princeton 3
	Cornell	7	Harvard 1
19	Harvard	3	Yale 0
	Princeton	5	Pennsylvania 1
24	Yale	0	Haverford 6
25	Harvard	4	Haverford 1
26	Pennsylvania	1	Cornell 4
Dec. 3	Pennsylvania	5	Yale 0

Intercollegiate Schedule for 1922.

Oct. 7—Haverford vs. Yale.
21—Cornell vs. Haverford.
28—Yale vs. Pennsylvania.
Cornell vs. Princeton.
Nov. 4—Cornell vs. Harvard.
Princeton vs. Haverford.
11—Cornell vs. Yale.
Harvard vs. Princeton.
Haverford vs. Pennsylvania.
18—Cornell vs. Pennsylvania.
Princeton vs. Yale.
25—Yale vs. Harvard.
30—Haverford vs. Harvard.
Dec. 2—Pennsylvania vs. Harvard.
9—Pennsylvania vs. Princeton.

How Association Football is Played

By Douglas Stewart.

An association football game is played by two teams, each composed of eleven players. As the positions are the same on both teams, one team only will be described. The positions on a team are: goalkeeper, right and left full-backs, making two backs; right, center and left half-backs, making three halves, and five forwards, outside and inside right, center forward, inside and outside left. The players occupying these positions are placed as follows: the goalkeeper on the goal line, the forwards on the half-way line, the halves on a line equidistant between the lines of the backs and forwards, and the full-backs on a line equidistant between the goal line and the half-back line. On their particular lines the players preserve intervals between each other, about as follows (the figures referring to a field sixty-five yards wide): the backs are about sixty-five feet apart from each other and from the touch line; the halves are about forty-nine feet apart from each other and from the touch line; the forwards would be practically the same distance apart, with the outside forwards practically on the touch line, that is, within five or six feet of that line. The positions indicated above are the positions the players should occupy and the distances they should normally be apart from each other during the course of the game, with the exception of the forwards on the defending side at a kick-off and when some penalty is being inflicted, such as a throw-in, kick-off, penalty kick and such like.

Having the players positioned, it is well that they should generally understand the functions of the lines and positions. Taking the lines: the forward line is essentially an attacking force; the half-back line is an attacking or defending force as occasion demands, and the full-back line and goalkeeper are essentially defensive forces.

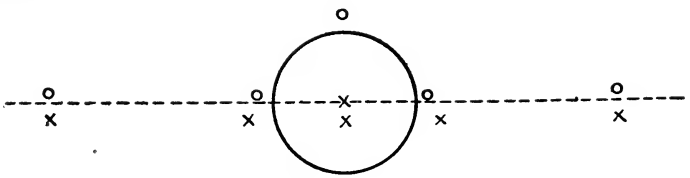
As to the players: It is the duty of the goalkeeper to prevent the ball passing over the goal line under the bar and between the posts. As he sometimes has a great deal to do against heavy odds he is, under the laws, granted certain privileges over the other players. Within his own penalty area, he may use his hands but may not carry the ball, except for a distance of not more than two steps. This gives him the right to pick up the ball with his hands. He may not be charged within his goal area when he is not in possession of the ball, but he may be charged when he does have the ball; he may not be interfered with or obstructed within his goal area in his efforts to defend his goal; he can kick or punch out the ball in his efforts to clear; he is expected to keep his wits about him at all times and work with the full-backs in their efforts to get the ball away from the proximity of the goal; he must not be afraid of any opponent.

The full-backs work together and with the goalkeeper in the effort to keep the ball away from the proximity of goal. They should be strong, safe kickers and fearless tacklers; taking the ball from an opponent and passing it to their own forwards, swinging the ball across the field or down the line as occasion demands. Primarily, their duty is to get the ball away from their own territory and into the possession of their own forwards. They are also expected to assist the halves when they are hard pressed, without, however, endangering their own positions.

The half-backs are the back-bone of a team, and the success of a team is proportionate with their ability to adequately perform the duties of their positions. Primarily, they must be good tacklers, with a good command of the ball; secondly, they must be good in feeding their forwards, and thirdly, it is well that they should be able to dribble. They must follow the forwards at a proper interval throughout the game, keeping in touch with them at all times, falling back or going forward as occasion demands, so as to put themselves in the best position to tackle the opposing forwards and feed the ball by accurate passes to their own forwards. They must not only assist the forwards in pressing an attack on the opposing goal, but they must assist their backs in beating back an attack on their own goal.

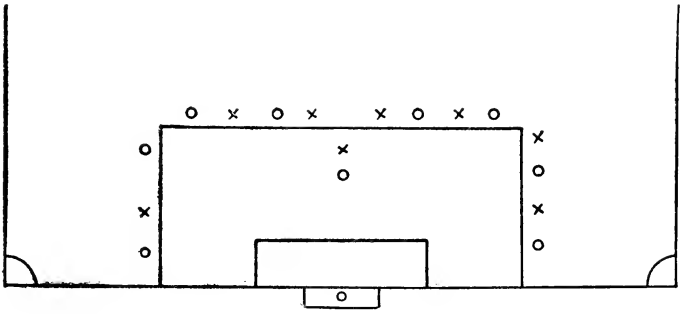
The forward line is for attack, pure and simple. All of the forwards should be able to dribble and travel at high speed with the ball and at the same time keep their eyes wide open and their wits alert to take advantage of opportunities for passing the ball to their mates and working it toward the opposing goal. The center forward is the player on the forward line of whom most is expected. It is his duty to keep his line from wandering out of position; to keep the line well up; to feed his wings so that they can work the ball down the wings and always to keep himself in position to receive passes from the wings and to shoot or give some one else who is better placed an opportunity to shoot. He must be unselfish, but not too much so, that is, he must not feed the wings when he is individually in the best position for a shot at goal. The two inside men, inside right and inside left, work as not only auxiliary center forwards, in that they must be able to shoot well, dribble and pass to their forward mates, but they must act also in the capacity of auxiliary halves, picking up short passes from the halves and passing them on to their mates in the forward line, and, in general, back up their mates. They, with the center, constitute the shooting force of the forward line. The outside men, outside right and outside left, should be very fast and able to maintain control of the ball while traveling at high speed down the wing. It is their duty to be in position to receive passes from the center and inside men and even the halves, carry the ball down the wings and center when the attack is drawn toward themselves, and, of course, eased off the center and the inside men, and when centering they are expected to place the ball in a position approximately in front of goal so that some one of the three inside men can receive it and make the best possible use of it in the shape of taking advantage of any opportunity which presents itself for shooting. A wing man has at no time any license to try to shoot goals unless he should find himself on top of the goal with the ball and a wide open goal, and no one in better or as good position to shoot than himself. This, however, is a condition which very seldom arises and the embryo winger had better confine himself to feeding the center. For when all is said and done, taking it for granted that the three inside men are fair shots, the number of goals scored depends entirely on how well the three inside men are fed by all the other members of the team. It is understood, of course, that a forward is able to beat or avoid the tackling of the opposing halves and backs.

The game is started by kicking off the ball in a forward direction, at least as far forward as the circumference of the ball. The side which has the kick-off or choice of defending goals is determined by the captains of both teams getting together and tossing a coin, the winner of the toss choosing which goal he shall defend and the loser taking the kick-off. The winner of the toss takes the kick-off in the second half. The teams having gotten into position, the forwards of the attacking side stand along the half-way line and the forwards of the defending side ranging themselves along the half-way line and the ouside of the circle in the center of the field, but may not approach within ten yards of the ball until after the kick is taken. The positions of the forwards at the kick-off are generally as shown in the following diagram:



The O's are defending while the X's are taking the kick-off and attacking. The circle is of ten yards radius, and therefore twenty yards in diameter, so that the defenders may not come within the circle until after the kick-off.

For any intentional breach of Law 9 the referee must give what is called a penalty kick. This is taken by a player of the opposing side by kicking the ball from a point situated twelve yards directly in front of the center of the goal. All the players except the defending goalkeeper and the player taking the kick must stand outside of the penalty area, but within the field of play. The goalkeeper must stand on his goal line until the kick is taken. The restriction on the goalkeeper advancing beyond his goal line and the other players standing outside the penalty area is removed immediately after the kick is taken. The positions of the players in taking a penalty kick is shown by the following diagram:



The O's indicate defenders while the X's indicate the side to which the penalty kick has been given, or the attackers.

Whenever a player kicks the ball over his own goal line a corner kick is given to the opposing or attacking side. This is taken from a point within the one-yard quadrant at the junction of the touch and goal lines, on the side of the field on which the ball went over the goal line. In taking this kick, the player (usually the outside forward on that side) taking the kick may not remove the corner flag and no player of the defending side may come within ten yards of the ball until after the kick is taken. Of course the object of the player taking the corner kick is to place the ball in front of the goal so that one of his own side can convert the kick into a goal. A goal, however, may not be scored direct from a corner kick, that is, the ball must be played by another player. No player can be off-side in a corner kick, although he may be off-side without having changed his position immediately after the kick is taken.

Advice to Young Players and How to Act in Case of Accident

Take care of the feet. Don't wear badly-made or ill-fitting shoes.

Use bars on the soles for hard grounds, and studs for heavy grounds.

Permanganate of potash is a fine thing for troublesome feet, which should be frequently bathed in a solution of permanganate.

In case of accident, should there be any suspicion of broken bones, don't risk lifting the player off the ground. Wait until someone comes who understands what should be done.

Bruises and contusions should never be rubbed—there is internal bleeding, and the rubbing does harm. Nothing beats bran poultices.

Always give an injury its proper chance to recover. The player of doubtful soundness often handicaps his side.

Don't bother much about embrocations, which are generally irritants. Massage the leg muscles with olive oil.

Keep fit, play the game in cool-headed fashion, and fewer accidents will happen.

My experience is that the youth of the present day do not, as a rule, take care of their feet as they ought to. I have seen a promising young player ruin his chances of future success and fame by the fact that he was playing in badly made and ill-fitting shoes.

Ordinary, as well as football shoes should be made to measure, and then, perhaps, we should see and hear less of corns, bunions, sweaty feet and other ailments to which the athlete seems heir.

Football shoes should be ordered some weeks before they are required, and only from a maker of repute. First of all, they should be pulled on the bare foot, and if they fit tightly all around, then they are likely to become a good fit. Especial care should be taken that they are not too small, else the wearer will get to know about it when he comes to play on a hard ground, by not only crippling himself, but by the loss of his toe nails. If the shoes fit tightly, but not unduly so, on the bare foot, they should be worn for a night or two without stockings. Next, a thin pair of socks may be tried, and so on, until one can wear them comfortably with the ordinary football stocking.

Football shoes require a lot of care, especially in wet weather. Immediately after they have been used, they should be carefully cleaned, then stretched and carefully laid away to gradually dry. The manner of studding a shoe plays a most important part in its longevity or usefulness. Where the grounds are hard, thin bars should be used, but if there is plenty of grass, studs are the best. Football shoes should, at least once a month, be given a rub inside (not outside) with castor oil or dubbin.

In the earlier and latter parts of the season, when the grounds are hard, almost every player complains about his feet being hot and blistered. This somewhat painful experience can be obviated if the player would literally smear the outside of his stockings, previous to pulling on his shoes, with vaseline.

Sweaty feet and soft corns between the toes are another of those bugbears to which the footballer is very much subject. This trouble can be mitigated if a player will exercise a certain amount of care, especially by keeping the feet absolutely clean, frequently changing the socks, and for a time before retiring to bed, bathing the feet in water into which a teaspoonful of permanganate of potash has been dissolved. For soft corns, a little plug of cotton between the offending toes will soon effect a cure.

IN CASE OF ACCIDENTS.

Before concluding the article, I would like to touch lightly, and, if possible, to give some useful hints in connection with the various accidents which are generally to be met with on the field of play. First of all, I would warn my young friends to be careful before lifting an unfortunate comrade who has been put hors de combat. Care should be taken that no bones are broken, because very many simple accidents are aggravated by this supposed kindness. If, on the other hand, the player is only winded, then there cannot be any harm done by lifting him off the grounds.

Where, however, there is any suspicion of broken bones, it is best to allow the player to lie, even supposed the ground was wet, until someone comes who understands what should be done.

Another common practice is to rub or massage all kinds of injuries, no doubt under the mistaken idea that rubbing eases the pain. It ought to be common knowledge that where there is a bruise or contusion, and the skin is not broken, there must be internal bleeding, and if there is internal bleeding, the rubbing is not likely to stop it.

The correct thing is to have a cold lotion, such as a lead and opium pad, applied as soon as possible, and then when the injured lad gets home, either foment the part with hot water, or, better still, apply bran poultice. Massage of any kind should not, under these circumstances, be indulged in for at least a couple of days, so as to allow the injured internal tissues to heal. Bran poultices are indeed the footballer's friend. The mistake that the young player usually makes, when he has sustained an injury, such as a sprained ankle or knee, is that he does not give such injury the rest which it requires.

Almost every trainer has his own special embrocation for massaging and each in their own way have their merits. Some believe in embrocation and others will not have it at all. For injuries, where the skin is unbroken, the best oil for massaging is castor oil and chloroform in equal parts. For massaging the muscles olive oil is very good, and once a week the player should, if possible, get a good massage, especially on the leg muscles. The breaking down of thigh muscles is a frequent and painful experience and generally occurs when the grounds are sticky. Strapping with plaster for a few days and absolute rest to be followed by bran poultices, it generally takes about six weeks for this injury to get right.

Sprains are the result of straining or tearing of ligaments, and are generally caused by the sudden twisting of a joint. The first signs are acute pain, followed by swelling, due to the rupture of blood vessels. As soon as possible a cold, evaporated lotion pad should be applied, and continued for every four hours for twenty-four, by which time the internal bleeding should have stopped. Then heat, in the shape of bran poultices, should be applied. Gentle massage can be commenced after the third day.

Cuts should always receive attention. See these are properly cleaned with some antiseptic lotion, and then apply some dressing of lintboric.

One could fill a book with the things that happen to the footballer in the course of play, but in the foregoing article, I think that I have summarized the most common of the injuries and methods of treatment which will succeed. In conclusion, to the young player I will say—keep fit, play the game, and you will find that often a good means of preventing injury is cool headedness and sportsmanship on both sides. But accidents will happen, and the undoubted risks in the game of football are, I believe, quite one of its charms to a lot of players.

Simplified Soccer

One Hundred and Ten Knotty Problems of the Great International Game Made Plain and Briefly Explained.

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Q—What are the authorized dimensions of the field of play? A—Maximum length, 130 yards; minimum length, 100 yards; maximum breadth, 100 yards; minimum breadth, 50 yards.

Q—What is the authorized height at which the crossbar of the goal posts may be suspended above the ground? A—Eight feet.

Q—What is the authorized width of the space between the goal posts? A—Twenty-four feet.

Q—What is the authorized size of the ball? A—Not less than 27 inches in circumference, nor more than 28 inches.

Q—If a team is compelled to start a game with less than a complete eleven men, is there any limit to the time when absent players may take their places on the field to complete the side? A—No; but if a team starts with eleven men, no substitution of fresh players for men who have already played can be allowed.

Q—In what direction must the ball be kicked when the kickoff is taken? A—The ball must be kicked forward, but after it has been played once, the second player may kick it in any direction.

Q—At what distance must the opposing side stand from the ball at the time of the kickoff? A—Not less than ten yards.

Q—If at the time of a kickoff, a player of the defending side approaches to a point within ten yards of the ball, or if the player on the attacking side crosses the center line or advances in front of the ball before the kickoff is properly taken, what is the correct action for the referee? A—He must order the players back in position and the kickoff taken over again. The kickoff must be taken in correct fashion.

Q—In the case of a player taking a throw in from touch, should the player be possessed by a powerful throw enabling him to throw the ball between the goal posts, no second player having touched it, what is the correct decision for the referee? A—A goal kick. The ball has been placed out of play by one of the attacking side, behind the goal lines, but in circumstances which do not allow a goal to be awarded.

Q—If a strong wind blowing directly into goal took the ball back into the net from a goal kick, no second player having touched the ball, what would be the correct decision for the referee to make? A—A corner kick.

Q—Is it necessary for a player when throwing the ball in from touch to have a part of both feet in the line? A—Yes.

Q—Is a player allowed to stand with his feet apart when throwing the ball in? A—Yes.

Q—Is a player allowed to stand on tiptoe to throw in the ball? A—Yes, if he stands with the toes of both feet on the line.

Q—Is a player allowed to drop the ball from over his head when throwing the ball in? A—No, the ball must be thrown, not dropped.

Q—Is a player allowed to raise his heels when throwing the ball in? A—Yes, provided he keeps some part of both feet on the touchline.

Q—If a second player meets a ball legally thrown in and heads or kicks the ball over the goal line and between the posts without another player touching the ball, is it a goal? A—Yes.

Q—What is the decision, if a player throwing the ball in persists in throwing in from a spot on the line other than that indicated by the linesman? A—A free kick.

Q—Is the player who throws the ball in allowed to play it a second time before it has been played by another player? A—No.

Q—Is the thrower allowed to steady the ball with one hand and give the impetus with the other? A—No, it must be thrown with both hands.

Q—Does a player's position as regards being offside or onside depend upon where he is when he plays the ball or man or when the ball is last played? A—When the ball is last played.

Q—Is a player offside when, though standing in an offside position, does not play the ball but merely charges an opponent? A—Yes.

Q—Can a player be offside directly from a free kick? A—Yes.

Q—Can a player be offside directly from a corner kick? A—No.

Q—When is a corner kick ended? A—Immediately the ball is played by a second player.

Q—Supposing a player is in an offside position and in going for the ball is charged by an opponent, does that place him onside? A—No.

Q—Can a player run from an offside position and place himself onside? A—No, unless during the course of the run, the ball is played by an opponent.

Q—Can a player put himself onside by waiting for three opponents to get between him and the goal line before playing the ball? A—No.

Q—If a player standing offside does not play the ball nor charge an opponent, but prevents him getting a clear kick or a view, should he be penalized? A—Yes, the law is perfectly clear on that point.

Q—Would a player be offside who received the ball when it has last touched an opponent? A—No.

Q—Can a player be put onside by the ball striking the referee, goal posts, or crossbar? A—No.

Q—Can a player be offside if behind the ball when last played? A—No.

Q—What is the minimum distance which opposing players must keep from the ball when a goal kick or a corner kick is being taken? A—Ten yards.

Q—May a player when kicking a corner kick remove the corner flag staff to facilitate the kick? A—No, the post and boundary flags if properly placed must not be disturbed after the game has started.

Q—Where and within what distance from the corner flag must the corner kick be taken? A—Within one yard radius of the flagstaff at the corner nearest the spot where the ball was played out of bounds.

Q—Is the goalkeeper allowed to handle the ball outside the penalty area? A—No, if he should do so the correct ruling is a free kick as in any other case of hands.

Q—When a goalkeeper is carrying the ball or bouncing it, what is the maximum distance which he may travel? A—The goalkeeper may not take more than two steps while bouncing the ball on his hands or carrying it.

Q—Can the position of goalkeeper be taken up by a second player? A—Yes, but the referee must be notified of the change.

Q—If goalkeepers are changed and the referee is not notified and the substitute goalkeeper handles the ball, what is the correct ruling? A—A penalty kick, as in any other case of hands. The new goalkeeper is not a goalkeeper until the referee has taken official cognizance of the change.

Q—Is a goalkeeper allowed to take more than two steps when bouncing the ball on the ground? A—Yes, there is no limit to the goalkeeper's privileges while he bounces the ball on the ground, except when outside the penalty area.

Q—What is the correct decision when the goalkeeper takes more than two steps inside the penalty area while bouncing the ball on his hands or carrying it? A—A free kick, not a penalty kick.

Q—Can a goalkeeper be charged; if so, in what circumstances inside the goal area? A—The goalkeeper may be charged if he is holding the ball or obstructing a player, but under no other conditions. If he is in the act of fisting or kicking the ball away inside the goal area, he cannot be charged; but he may be charged outside the goal area in any circumstances.

Q—If a player charges the goalkeeper while he is playing the ball, but not holding it, what is the correct decision? A—A free kick to the defending side.

Q—Is a player allowed to obstruct the goalkeeper by standing in his way or otherwise impeding him? A—Yes, if he is not offside; but he must not charge the goalkeeper.

Q—A player attempting to take the ball from a player from behind, trips him; what is the correct decision? A—A free kick if the foul is committed outside the penalty area by one of the attacking side. If committed inside the penalty area by the defender, the correct decision is a penalty kick.

Q—What is the correct decision if the player intentionally stoops before or behind an opponent playing or about to play the ball? A—The same as previous question.

Q—Can a player be charged from behind? A—No, except in the case when he is intentionally obstructing an opponent, or when he is facing his own goal.

Q—A player about to be tackled turns his back to his opponent; can he be charged in the back? A—Yes, he is intentionally obstructing his opponent.

Q—Can a player who is intentionally obstructing an opponent be pushed with the hands? A—No. Under no circumstances can a player be pushed with the hands.

Q—Can a goalkeeper keep off an opponent with his hands? A—No.

Q—What is the correct decision should a defender within the penalty area deliberately strike an opponent? A—A penalty kick against the defending side. The offending player should be ordered off the field without a caution.

Q—In what circumstances should a referee award free kicks for handling, tripping, pushing, kicking or holding an opponent? A—Only when he is positive that the offense was intentional. NOTE: International Board Rule —Cases of handling the ball and tripping, pushing, kicking or holding an opponent, and charging an opponent from behind may so happen as to be considered unintentional, and when this is so no offense is committed.

Q—Can a player taking a free kick again play the ball before it has been played by a second player? A—No.

Q—A player is taking a free kick; may another player on the same side approach to within ten yards of the ball? A—Yes.

Q—How far must the ball travel after being kicked from a free kick before it is in play? A—It must travel the distance of its circumference. In other words it must cover the distance it would take if it turned completely over at least once.

Q—Can a free kick be taken in a back direction? A—Yes.

Q—May a goal be scored from a free kick without the ball being played a second time? A—Yes, in the case of all free kicks awarded for infractions of Law 9. That is, for handling, tripping, holding, etc.

Q—In the case of a free kick near the goal, the player taking the kick places his foot on the ball, and a second player kicks it between the posts. What is the correct decision? A—The kick must be taken over again. The ball must be played the distance of its circumference by the player taking the kick. therefore, the kick was not properly taken, and the goal does not count. NOTE: A goal may be scored directly from a free kick, but only when the kick is awarded for an infringement of Rule 8, as in handling, kicking, holding, etc.

Q—Can a player wear projecting nails, or metal plates on his boots, or shin guards? A—No.

Q—Must bars extend full width of boots? A—Yes.

Q—What is the minimum width of bars allowed? A—One-half inch.

Q—What is the maximum depth of bar or studs? A—One-half inch.

Q—What is the minimum diameter of studs? A—One-half inch.

Q—Must studs be round? A—Yes.

Q—Are pointed studs allowed? A—No.

Q—Is rubber allowed on boots? A—Yes.

Q—Must the referee (if required) examine the player's boots before match starts? A—Yes, or at any time during the game if he suspects an infringement of this rule.

Q—Can a referee order a player off without caution? A—Yes, in the event of violent conduct.

Q—Has the referee power to order a player off who is breaking any of the laws of the game although not committing any violent offense? A—Yes, but the player should be cautioned first.

Q—To whom should the referee report cases of ordering off the field? A—To the governing association.

Q—Can a heavy player unnecessarily use his weight against an opponent? A—No.

Q—What action should the referee take in case of such infringement? A—Caution and a free kick. NOTE: International Board Rule—Persistent infringement of any of the laws of the game is ungentlemanly conduct, within the meaning of this law.

Q—Can a player if injured remain on the field of play and receive attention until able to resume? A—No. He must retire or be immediately removed to touch line, or behind goal line and game restarted at once. NOTE: International Board Rule—All reports by referees to be made within two days after this occurrence, Sundays not included.

Q—When a linesman is not neutral, should a referee be guided by his decision? A—Not as a rule.

Q—In what points should a linesman give decisions? A—Throwing, corner and goal kicks.

Q—Can a referee order a linesman off the field? A—Yes, for misconduct. He may also appoint a successor.

Q—Can a suspended official or player act as linesman during his suspension? A—No. NOTE: Linesmen, when neutral, shall call the attention of the referee to rough play, or ungentlemanly conduct, and generally assist him to carry out the game in proper manner.

Q—Should players stop playing for a supposed infringement of the laws? A—No, the ball is in play until the referee stops it by blowing his whistle or otherwise.

Q—How should a game be restored after a temporary suspension other than for a free or penalty kick, or a throw in? A—By dropping the ball at the place it was when play was suspended.

Q—Can a player play the ball when it touches the ground? A—Yes, but not before.

Q—If a player from a drop secures the ball and places it between the posts, should a goal be allowed, or must it be played by a second player? A—A goal should be allowed.

Q—What and for how many offenses, are penalty kicks given? A—Ten. Striking, kicking, tripping, jumping, handling, holding, pushing, charging back, or dangerous violent charging. NOTE: Jumping at an opponent is considered intentional at all times. If in the opinion of the referee any of the above offenses are not intentionally committed by a defender, no action is taken.

Q—If a defender within the penalty area intentionally kicked an opponent, what decision should be given? A—A penalty kick.

Q—For any infringement of Law 9 within penalty area, can a referee order the man off and at the same time award a penalty kick? A—Yes.

Q—Must the ball in a penalty be kicked forward? A—Yes.

Q—What decision should be given if it were passed back? A—Free kick.

Q—Can the ball be played anywhere inside the penalty area when a penalty kick is about to be taken? A—No, it must be taken from the penalty mark.

Q—Where must players other than the player taking the penalty kick stand? A—Outside penalty area lines.

Q—Is a goalkeeper allowed to advance out of his goal for a penalty kick? A—No, he must remain on goal line.

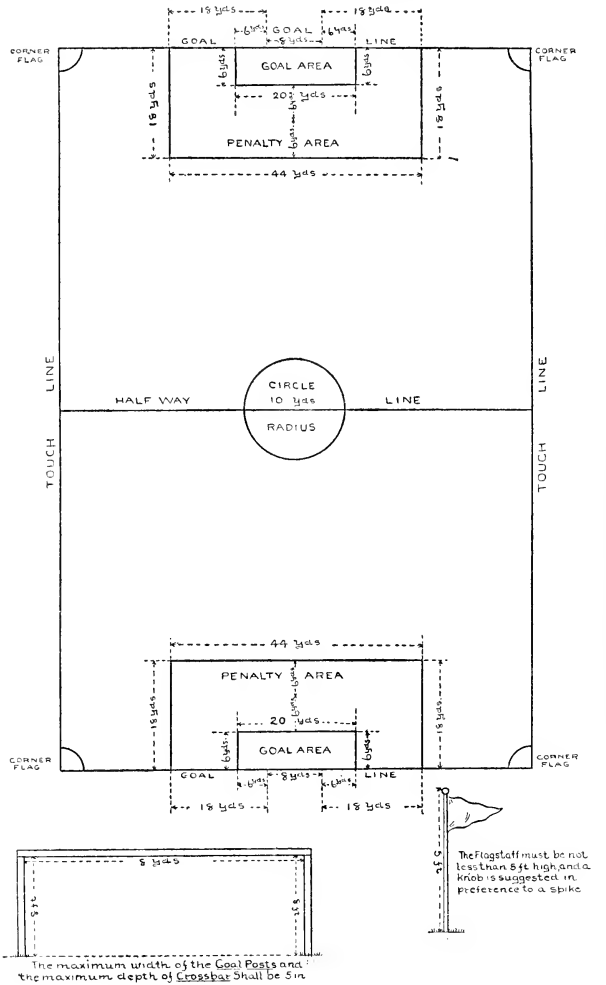
Q—Can a player taking the penalty play the ball again if it rebounds from goal post or crossbar to him? A—No.

Q—Can the player if the ball strikes the goalkeeper and rebounds back to him play it again? A—Yes.

Q—After having awarded a penalty kick and time expired before kick was taken, can the referee allow it to be taken after time was up? A—Yes.

Q—If the ball has crossed the goal on touch lines and a player was intentionally tripped, etc., should a penalty be allowed? A—No, the ball must be in the field of play when the offense was committed.

Q—Supposing a player was offside and was intentionally tripped by a defending player within the penalty area, should a penalty kick be awarded? A—Decidely; the fact of a player being offside does not nullify the penalty law.



PLAN OF THE FIELD.

Laws of the Game

LAW I.

Number of Players.

The game should be played by Eleven players on each side.

Dimensions of Field of Play

The field of play shall be as shown in the plan on opposite page, subject to the following provisions: The dimensions of the field of play shall be—maximum length, 130 yards; minimum length, 100 yards; maximum breadth, 100 yards; minimum breadth, 50 yards.

Instructions to Players.—Except through accident, a player must not leave the field during the progress of the game without the permission of the Referee.

Marking Out Ground.

The field of play shall be marked by boundary lines. The lines at each end are the goal-lines, and the lines at the sides are the touch-lines. The touch-lines shall be drawn at right angles with the goal-lines. A flag with a staff not less than 5 feet high shall be placed at each corner. A half-way line shall be marked out across the field of play. The center of the field of play shall be indicated by a suitable mark, and a circle with a 10 yards radius shall be made around it.

Official Decisions.—Flag-staffs with pointed tops must not be used.

The touch and goal-lines must not be marked by a **V**-shaped rut.

(International Board, June 16, 1902.)

Instructions to Referees.—Refuse to sanction play if danger is likely to accrue to players from the state of the ground. As to the weather, use your own judgment, but do not needlessly spoil sport.

Short flag-staffs are dangerous, hence the minimum height of 5 feet.

The Referee must not allow a corner flag-staff to be removed even for the convenience of the player taking a corner-kick.

The Goals. The goals shall be upright posts fixed on the goal-lines, equi-distant from the corner flag-staffs, 8 yards apart, with a bar across them 8 feet from the ground. The maximum width of the goal-posts and the maximum depth of the cross-bar shall be 5 inches.

Instructions to Referees.—The Referee must caution any player wilfully displacing flags or goal-posts, or pulling down the bar, and if repeated he should order the offender off the field of play.

Instructions to Players.—Goal-keepers to save a shot or to get hold of the ball sometimes seize the bar and pull it down. Any player wilfully displacing a flag or goal-post, or bar, is guilty of misconduct.

The Goal Area. Lines shall be marked 6 yards from each goal-post at right angles to the goal-lines for a distance of 6 yards, and these shall be connected with each other by a line parallel to the goal-lines; the space within these lines shall be the goal area. Lines shall

The Penalty Area. be marked 18 yards from each goal-post at right angles to the goal-lines for a distance of 18 yards, and these shall be connected with each other by a line parallel to the goal-lines; the space within these lines shall be the penalty area. A suitable mark shall be made opposite the center of each goal, 12 yards from the goal-line; this shall be the penalty kick mark.

Instructions to Referees.—If these, or other lines, required by Law One are not properly marked, require this to be done before a match, if time permits. It is advisable to visit the grounds in good time and see everything is in order.

The Ball. The circumference of the ball shall be not less than 27 inches, nor more than 28 inches. The outer casing of the ball must be of leather, and no material shall be used in the construction of the ball which would constitute a danger to the players.

Dimensions of Field of Play and Weight of Ball in International Matches. In International matches, the dimensions of the field of play shall be—maximum length, 120 yards; minimum length, 110 yards; maximum breadth, 80 yards; minimum breadth, 70 yards; and at the commencement of the game the weight of the ball shall be from 13 to 15 ounces.

The Spalding Olympic Foot Ball is the Official Foot Ball, correct in weight and measurement, and should be used in all games.

Instructions to Referees.—Refers to International Contests only.

*In Intercollegiate matches in the United States the dimensions of the field of play shall be—maximum length, 110 yards; maximum breadth, 65 yards.

LAW II.

Duration of Game.

The duration of the game shall be 90 minutes, unless otherwise mutually agreed upon.

Instructions to Referees.—The Referee must allow for time wasted, or lost, through accident or other cause, and it is desirable that the two captains should be informed when such allowance is made.

Unless a Referee is notified to the contrary by the two captains he must under ordinary circumstances continue the game for 90 minutes.

He has no power to set aside the Rules of Cup and other Competitions where the time to be played is specified.

Instructions to Players.—If you wish to play short time the Referee must be notified. This may only be done by the mutual agreement of both captains, where the rules of a competition do not require a specified playing period.

Choice of Goals.

The winners of the toss shall have the option of kick-off or choice of goals.

Instructions to Referees.—Note which side kicked off. (See Instructions to Referees in Law 13.)

The Kick-Off.

The game shall be commenced by a place-kick from the center of the field of play in the direction of the opponents' goal-line; the opponents shall not approach within 10 yards of the ball until it is kicked off, nor shall any player on either side pass the center of the ground in the direction of his opponents' goal until the ball is kicked off.

Official Decisions.—A PLACE-KICK is a kick at the ball while it is on the ground in the center of the field of play.

If this Law is not complied with the kick-off must be taken over again.

(International Board, June 15, 1903.)

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The practice of kicking off by persons other than the players competing in a match is prohibited, except in Charity matches. (Decision of Council, March 25, 1907.)

Instructions to Referees.—Referees should notice that a free kick must not be awarded for any breach of this Law. It is their duty to see the kick-off properly taken in the direction of the opposite goal; also that back kicking and encroaching must not be allowed.

Any player wilfully encroaching should first be cautioned, and, on a repetition, be ordered off the field of play. After the ball has been properly kicked off, the second and other players may play it in any direction.

If in the opinion of the Referee the ball has not rolled completely over, or traveled the distance of its circumference, *i. e.*, about 27 inches, he must order it back again to be kicked off properly.

The Referee must not allow anyone to kick-off unless he is a player competing in the match. This order does not apply to Charity matches.

Instructions to Players.—Many players, when the whistle sounds for the start, run inside the opponents' 10 yards' circle or cross the half way line. This is wrong, as the game commences with the kick-off, not with the Referee's signal.

LAW III.

Ends to be Changed at Half-Time.

The Interval.

Restarting Game.

Ends shall only be changed at half-time. The interval at half-time shall not exceed five minutes, except by consent of the Referee. After a goal is scored the losing side shall kick off, and after the change of ends at half-time the ball shall be kicked off by the opposite side from that which originally did so; and always as provided in Law 2.

Official Decisions.—Players have a right to an interval of five minutes at half time.—(Decision of Council, January 15, 1906.)

Referees must observe the regulations that the half-time interval must not be allowed to exceed five minutes, except with their consent, which is only to be given in exceptional circumstances. (Council, December 8, 1919.)

Instructions to Referees.—The Referee is distinctly authorized to prevent deliberate waste of time. (See Law 13.)

He should use every endeavor to limit the half-time interval to 5 minutes, and only consent to its extension in exceptional circumstances.

Instructions to Players.—In competitions where after a drawn game an extra half-hour is neces-

sary, the Captains must toss again for choice of ends, and play must be a quarter of an hour each way.

LAW IV.

How a Goal Is Scored.

Except as otherwise provided by these Laws, a goal shall be scored when the ball has passed between the goal-posts under the bar, not being thrown, knocked on, nor carried by any player of the attacking side.

Official Decisions.—The whole of the ball must have passed over the goal-line, or touch line, before it is out of play. (International Board.)

KNOCKING ON and carrying are both forms of handling the ball.

Instructions to Referees.—The words "not being thrown" cover a throw-in from touch, so that if a player throws the ball in from touch through the opponents' goal it would be a goal-kick for the defending side and not a goal.

It is possible for the ball to roll all along the goal-line, and for the greater part of it to be over the line, and yet not pass through the goal. The goal-keeper may be behind the goal-line and yet prevent a goal.

A Referee must under no circumstances allow a goal unless he is absolutely satisfied that the whole of the ball has passed out of play.

In catching the ball or fisting out, a goal-keeper sometimes allows the ball to pass into goal in mid air, and the Referee may consider that the whole of the ball crosses the line. If so and he is in a good position to judge, he must give a goal.

It is difficult to judge unless one is close up, hence it is necessary for the Referee to follow the ball closely up and down the ground and try to get a side view whenever he thinks a shot is about to be put in, or there is a scrimmage in front of the goal.

If Bar Displaced.

If from any cause during the progress of the game the bar is displaced, the Referee shall have power to award a goal if in his opinion the ball would have passed under the bar if it had not been displaced.

Instructions to Players.—A goal-keeper must not pull down the bar.

If Ball Rebounds from Goal-Posts, etc.

The ball is in play if it rebounds from a goal-post, cross-bar, or a corner flag-staff into the field of play. The ball is in play if it touches the Referee or a Linesman when in the field of play.

Instructions to Referees.—The ball touching the Referee or a Linesman when he is in the field of play is still in play, though it might otherwise have gone into touch or over the goal-line.

Linesmen should follow the game close to the touch-line and keep out of the field of play as much as possible.

Ball Crossing Lines, out of Play.

The ball is out of play when it has crossed the goal-line or touch-line, either on the ground or in the air.

Instructions to Referees.—The ball going into touch in mid air and afterwards alighting in the field of play is out of play.

Instructions to Players.—The ball may roll along the touch-line or goal-line and still be in play. The whole of the ball must have passed over and be clear of the touch-line or goal-line before it is out of play.

LAW V.

The Throw-in.

When the ball is in touch, a player of the opposite side to that which played it out shall throw it in from the point on the touch-line where it left the field of play. The player throwing the ball must stand on the touch-line facing the field of play, and shall throw the ball in over his head with both hands in any direction, and it shall be in play when thrown in. A goal shall not be scored from a throw-in, and the thrower shall not again play until the ball has been played by another player.

This law is complied with if the player has any part of both feet on the line when he throws the ball in.

Official Decision.—TOUCH is that part of the ground on either side of the field of play.

Instructions to Referees.—The Linesman should point with his flag to the place where the ball went into touch and stand a little behind the thrower to watch the throw-in. If the player does not throw the ball in properly, the Referee must give a free kick. An improper throw would be one delivered over the shoulder, or with one hand giving the impetus and the other merely guiding the ball, or if the thrower had not some part of both feet on the touch line at the moment of throwing, or if the thrower merely dropped the ball and did not throw it. A player throwing-in the ball must face the field of play.

Instructions to Players.—The practice of claiming for the throw-in when the ball goes into touch is far too prevalent and is unnecessary.

LET THE LINESMAN GIVE HIS DECISION. All the claiming in the world will not alter it, unless the Referee shall see fit to interfere.

LAW VI.

Off-side.

When a player plays the ball, any player of the same side who at such moment of playing is nearer to his opponents' goal-line is out of play, and may not touch the ball himself, nor in any way whatever interfere with an opponent, or with the play, until the ball has been again played, unless there are at such moment of playing at least three of his opponents nearer their own goal-line. A player is not out of play when the ball is kicked off from goal, when a corner-kick or a throw-in is taken, when the ball has been last played by an opponent, or when he himself is within his own half of the field of play at the moment the ball is played by any player of the same side.

Official Decisions.—It is not a breach of law for a player simply to be in an off-side position, but only when in that position he causes the play to be affected. (Council, December 14, 1903). Some Referees award a free kick when a player is simply in an off-side position. This must not be done. (Council, December 10, 1910.) Play should not be stopped and a player given off-side under Law VI, because the player is in an off-side position. A breach of the law is only committed when a player who is in an off-side position interferes with an opponent or with the play. (Council, March 8, 1920.) If a player deliberately trips an opponent who is standing in an off-side position within the penalty area, and who does not attempt to play the ball or obstruct, a penalty kick should be awarded.

A flag may be placed opposite the half-way line on each side of the field of play, but it must be at least one yard from the touch-line, and on a staff not less than 5 feet high. (International Board.)

Instructions to Referees.—A player who is in his own half of the field of play at the moment the ball is last played cannot be off-side.

The point to notice is not where a player is when he plays the ball, but where he WAS at the moment it was played by a player of the same side. In the rush of a game a referee is apt to lose sight of the positions of the field at every kick yet he ought to fix each change on his mind. If a player is in line

with or behind the ball when it is played he cannot possibly be off-side, but if he is in front of it he is liable to be so. Though a player cannot be off-side when an opponent last plays the ball, or when a corner kick, a throw-in from touch, or a goal kick, is taken, this protection ceases the moment a second player plays the ball, so that a player not off-side in position when such kick or throw-in is taken, may without having moved be liable as soon as the ball has been next played by one of his own side. A player following up another of his own side who has the ball cannot be off-side. Players may be off-side when a free kick or a penalty kick is taken. An opponent playing the ball puts a player on-side at once. While in an off-side position a player must not interfere in any way with an opponent or with the play. If a player is in an off-side position but is not interfering with the play he must not be penalized.

The International Board have made it plain that a player, who is in an off-side position, is bound to keep out of the way of the play, and that he is liable to be penalized if in any manner his presence causes any interference with the play.

When the ball is kicked off from either goal no player is off-side.

The provision of flags opposite the half-way line is optional. The object is to assist the Referee and Linesmen to determine the position of the half-way line when they are at a distance or when the line has become indistinct.

Instructions to Players.—A player who is in his own half of the field of play at the moment the ball is last played cannot be off-side.

A player once off-side cannot put himself on-side. This can only be done for him in three ways:—(1) If an opponent next plays the ball; (2) If he is behind the ball when it is next played by one of his own side; (3) If he has three opponents between him and their goal line when the ball is played by one of his own side further from his opponents' goal than himself.

The ball hitting the goal-post or bar and rebounding does not put a player on-side who was "off-side" when the ball was last played.

Take care that when the ball is played by one of your own side, except when he is taking a goal kick, a corner-kick, or a throw-in you have three opponents between you and their goal-line or that you are in a line with or behind the ball. Can anything be simpler? If your opponent plays the ball, or the ball touches him in any way, you are on-side no matter where you stand, but when standing off-side you have no right to interfere with an opponent nor to station yourself so near the goal-keeper, or any other opponent, as to hamper his movements, or obstruct his sight of the ball. When a player finds he is in an off-side position it is his duty to keep clear of the play and neither interfere with nor inconvenience an opponent, nor make a pretense of doing so.

LAW VII.

When the ball is played behind the goal-line by a player of the opposite side, it shall be kicked off by any one of the players behind whose goal-line it went, within that half of the goal area nearest the point where the ball left the field of play; but, if played behind by any one of the side whose goal-line it is, a player of the opposite side shall kick it from within one yard of the nearest corner flag-staff. In either case an opponent shall not be allowed within ten yards of the ball until it is kicked off. Goal-Kick. Corner-Kick.

Official Decision.—The corner flag-staff must not be removed when a corner-kick is taken. (International Board.)

Instructions to Referees.—It is the duty of the Referee to see that goal-kicks are properly taken within that half of the goal area nearest the point where the ball went out.

It is the duty of the Referee to see that corner-kicks are properly taken, and on the side on which the ball goes out.

If the player takes a corner-kick, and the ball rebounds to him after striking the goal-post, he must not play it again until it has been played by another player. Do not allow a goal-kick or corner-kick to be taken while any opponent is within 10 yards of the ball.

Instructions to Players. — Opponents should remember that they must not stand within 10 yards of the ball. To do so is the cause of constant annoyance and is not playing the game fairly.

A goal-kick may be taken in any direction the kicker chooses.

LAW VIII.

The goal-keeper may within his own penalty area, use his hands, but shall not carry the ball. Goal-Keeper Handling.

Official Decision.—CARRYING by the goal-keeper is taking more than two steps while holding the ball, or bouncing it on the hand.

The attention of the Referee is called to the actions of some goal-keepers in not observing the provisions of Law VIII and to the necessity of Referees seeing that such provisions are observed. (Council, March, 1920.)

Referees and players are required to comply with the regulations as to goal-keepers wearing distinctive colors. (Council, December, 1919.)

Instructions to Referees.—The goal-keeper must not "walk about" bouncing the ball on the hand. After the second step he must be penalized.

If the goal-keeper handles the ball outside his own penalty area, he is committing a breach of Law 9. For "carrying" the ball the penalty is a free kick and not a penalty kick.

Charging Goal-Keeper.

The goal-keeper shall not be charged except when he is holding the ball or obstructing an opponent, or when he has passed outside the goal area.

Instructions to Referees.—If the goal-keeper obstructs an opponent he may be charged even when in his goal area. See that the goal-keeper is not unfairly charged, as he has so little chance of protecting himself when his attention is engaged with a coming shot.

Special notice should be taken of the fact that a goal-keeper may be charged when he is outside the goal area.

Instructions to Players.—The goal-keeper should bear in mind that directly he leaves his goal area he is liable to be charged by an opponent.

So long as a goal-keeer does not hold the ball, or obstruct an opponent, he is protected under the Laws when within his goal area. Get rid of the ball at once is naturally the best advice that can be given him.

Goal-Keeper may be Changed.

The goal-keeper may be changed during the game, but notice of such change must first be given to the Referee.

Official Decision.—If a goal-keeper has been changed without the Referee being notified, and the new goal-keeper handles the ball within the penalty area, a penalty kick must be awarded. See Law 17.

(International Board, June 17, 1901.)

Instructions to Referees.—Note who commences a game as goal-keeper, and allow no one else to act as goal-keeper, or to claim his privileges, until you have been notified of the change of goal-keeper.

Instructions to Players.—If the goal-keeper is changed during the game the Referee must at once be notified.

LAW IX.

Tripping, Kicking, Striking, Jumping at.

Neither tripping, kicking, striking, nor jumping at a player shall be allowed.

Official Decisions.—TRIPPING is intentionally throwing, or attempting to throw, an opponent by the use of the legs, or by stooping in front of or behind him.

The Laws should be more vigorously enforced by Referees in order to prevent improper conduct, and players who are guilty of it escaping punishment.

Instructions to Referees.—This is an important Law, as by enforcing it and taking the initiative where he sees necessary, a Referee can prevent rough play developing. He can stop the game at any time and give a free kick, or caution, or both, against any player whose conduct or play is dangerous or likely to cause injury, or he may order him off. The free kick must be taken from the place where the infringement occurred.

Jumping at an opponent must of necessity be intentional, and this differs from jumping to play the ball.

Instructions to Players.—The offense is aggravated if a player has previously been cautioned. A player ordered off for foul play is liable to suspension.

A player who retaliates when fouled is equally liable to punishment.

A player (the goal-keeper, within his own penalty area, excepted) shall not intentionally handle the ball. "Hands."

Official Decisions.—HANDLING is intentionally playing the ball with the hand or arm.

KNOCKING ON is when a player strikes or propels the ball with his hands or arms.

Cases of handling the ball and tripping, pushing, kicking, or holding an opponent, and charging an opponent from behind, may so happen as to be considered unintentional, and when this is so, no offense is committed.

(International Board, June 8, 1912.)

Referees are required to make a distinction between intentional and unintentional handling, as there is no offense unless the handling is intentional. Stoppages of play for trivial reasons should be avoided, as they cause unnecessary delays and create friction. (Council, 1910.)

Instructions to Referees.—Note the important fact that it is the intentional breach of Law which must be punished. This must be done promptly and strictly.

It may be the line of least resistance to penalize a player whenever the ball touches his arm, but it is not justice to do so unless it is an INTENTIONAL act.

Instructions to Players.—Let the Referee give "hands" on his own initiative.

A player shall not use his hands to hold or push an opponent. Holding, Pushing.

Official Decision.—HOLDING includes the obstruction of a player by the hand or any part of the arm extended from the body.

Instructions to Referees.—Under no circumstances whatever must a player push an opponent with his hands or arms. Using the knee against

an opponent is a most dangerous practice and should be severely punished.

Instructions to Players.—Under no circumstances whatever must you push an opponent with your hands or arms, or use the elbow or knee against him.

Charging.

Charging is permissible, but it must not be violent or dangerous.

Official Decision.—Referees must allow a fair charge. Jumping at an opponent, which in all cases is illegal, should not be confused with charging. (Council, December, 1910.)

Instructions to Referees.—Charging must not be penalized unless it is violent or dangerous.

This is a law that referees construe too strictly, whereas they are expressly required not to do so.

Instructions to Players.—Let charging be of the good honest type.

Charging Behind.

A player shall not be charged from behind unless he is intentionally obstructing an opponent.

Official Decisions.—The offense of charging an opponent from behind is not committed where a player in playing the ball touches a player behind unless there is an intention to charge such player. The Referee is the sole judge of such intention, but it has been noticed that many Referees construe the Law more strictly than is necessary to secure fair play, and in consequence of such decisions the progress of games is unnecessarily interefred with.

If a player turns so as to face his own goal when he is tackled, or is obviously aware that he is about to be tackled by an opponent, he is intentionally obstructing, and may be charged from behind. (International Board, June 8, 1907.)

Referees will be supported in putting down rough play.

Instructions to Referees.—A player may be charged from behind when he is intentionally obstructing an opponent, whether he is facing his own goal or not; but the charging must under no circumstances be violent or dangerous.

Instructions to Players.—Even if your opponent is intentionally obstructing you, you have no right to charge him in a manner likely to do him injury.

LAW X.

Free Kick.

When a free kick has been awarded, the kicker's opponents shall not approach within ten yards of the ball, until the kick is taken, unless they are standing on their own goal line. The ball must at least be

rolled over before it shall be considered played, i. e., it must make a complete circuit or travel the distance of its circumference. The kicker shall not play the ball a second time until it has been played by another player. The kick-off (except as provided by Law 2), corner-kick, and goal-kick shall be free kicks within the meaning of this Law.

Official Decision.—Players who do not retire to a proper distance when a free kick is taken must be cautioned and on any repetition be ordered off. It is particularly requested of Referees that attempts to delay the taking of a free kick by encroaching should be treated as serious misconduct. (Council, December, 1910.)

Instructions to Referees.—It is the Referee's duty to see that all free kicks are taken from the proper place and not allow a free kick to be taken until he has given a signal. The usual signal is a whistle.

The free kick must be taken without delay. Nothing slows a game more than wasting time in taking a free kick. It is also unfair to delay, bearing in mind that a free kick awarded for breaches of Law 9 may score a goal direct. If opponents persist in encroaching act promptly and caution them.

The kick must not be allowed if the ball is on the move while it is being taken.

Instructions to Players—Players must wait for the signal from the Referee before taking the kick-off or free kick.

Opponents must not approach within ten yards of the ball till it is kicked.

Players neglecting this instruction are liable to be ordered off the field.

LAW XI.

Free Kick from which Goal may be Scored.

A goal may be scored from a free kick which is awarded because of any infringement of Law 9, but not from any other free kick.

Instructions to Referees.—Special notice should be taken of the fact that a goal may be scored direct, whether the ball touches a player of either side or not, if the free kick is awarded for tripping, kicking, striking, jumping at, holding, pushing, violently or dangerously charging an opponent, charging an opponent illegally from behind, or handling the ball (breaches of Law 9). But it must be remembered that a free kick awarded for any other breach of the Laws does not come under this regulation. Note that a goal cannot be scored direct from a kick-off, corner-kick, or goal-kick;

or from free kicks awarded for the following breaches of Laws:—

(*a*) Player playing the ball a second time before it has been played by another player, after throwing-in or taking a free kick or a penalty kick.
(*b*) Off-side.
(*c*) Carrying by goal-keeper.
(*d*) Charging goal-keeper at wrong time, the charging being otherwise fair.
(*e*) Playing the ball before it has touched the ground after being dropped to restart play after a stoppage.
(*f*) Ball not kicked forward from a penalty kick.
(*g*) Improper throw-in.
(*h*) Dangerous play. Law 13.

Instructions to Players.—Players should remember that a goal may be scored from a free kick imposed for infringements of Law 9.

LAW XII.

Bars, Studs, etc.

A player shall not wear any nails, except such as have their heads driven in flush with the leather, or metal plates or projections, or gutta-percha, on his boots, or on his shin guards. If bars or studs on the soles or heels of the boots are used, they shall not project more than half an inch, and shall have all their fastenings driven in flush with the leather. Bars shall be transverse and flat, not less than half an inch in width, and shall extend from side to side of the boot. Studs shall be round in plan, not less than half an inch in diameter, and in no case conical or pointed. Any player discovered infringing this Law shall be prohibited from taking further part in the match. The Referee shall, if required, examine the players' boots before the commencement of a match, or during the interval.

Official Decisions.—Wearing soft india-rubber on the soles of boots is not a violation of Law 12. (International Board.)

Semi-circular toe pieces are legal.

Metal toe-plates, though covered with leather, are illegal.

Instructions to Referees.—It is the Referee's duty, if asked, to examine the players' boots before the match, or during the interval. The Referee must order off the field of play for the

remainder of the game any player whom, during the progress of the play, he finds wearing:

(*a*) Nails not flush with the leather.

(*b*) Metal plates or projections.

(*c*) Gutta percha on his boots, or on his shin guards.

(*d*) Bars on soles or heels of his boots that do not extend from side to side of the boot, that are less than one-half inch wide, more than one-half inch deep, and not transverse and flat.

(*e*) Studs on soles or heels of his boots, not round in plan, less than one-half inch in diameter, more than one-half inch deep, and conical or pointed.

The cleats on college foot ball shoes are illegal.

During the progress of a game the Referee must enforce this Law without waiting for an appeal. There is no necessity to report this offense.

The Law includes metal clips or buckles, etc., that are dangerous, either on the boots or shin guards.

Instructions to Players.—It is also the duty of the players to see that their boots, etc., are in accordance with this Law, for if the Referee's attention is drawn to the irregularity during the progress of a game, the player may not go and change his boots, but must leave the field altogether, which might be a very serious matter to his side. If doubtful about it ask the Referee before the match, or during the interval, and he is bound to examine the boots. Players sometimes forget that studs wear away exposing the nails, which would make them illegal.

LAW XIII.

Duties and Powers of Referee.

A Referee shall be appointed, whose duties shall be to enforce the Laws and decide all disputed points; and his decision on points of fact connected with the play shall be final, so far as the result of the game is concerned. He shall also keep a record of the game, and act as timekeeper. In the event of any ungentlemanly behavior on the part of any of the players, the offender or offenders shall be cautioned, and if any further offense is committed, or in case of violent conduct without any previous caution, the Referee shall order the offending player or players off the field of play, and shall transmit the name or names of such player or players to his or their governing body, who shall deal with the matter. The Referee shall allow for time wasted, lost

through accident, or other cause, suspend or terminate the game whenever, by reason of darkness, interference by spectators, or other cause, he may deem necessary; but in all cases in which a game is so terminated he shall report the same to the association under whose jurisdiction the game was played, who shall deal with the matter. The Referee shall award a free kick in any case in which he thinks the conduct of a player dangerous, or likely to prove dangerous, but not sufficiently so as to justify him in putting in force the greater powers vested in him. The power of the Referee extends to offenses committed when the play has been temporarily suspended, and when the ball is out of play.

Official Decisions.—Any player leaving the field during the progress of a game (except through accident) without the consent of the Referee will be deemed guilty of misconduct, and will render himself liable to be penalized.

Persistent infringement of any of the Laws of the Game is ungentlemanly conduct within the meaning of this Law. (International Board, June 8, 1907.)

It is the duty of the Referee to see that all free kicks, kicks from the goal, and corner-kicks are properly taken.

Any misconduct towards a Referee away from the field of play will be dealt with in the same way as if the offense had been committed on the field.

A player who is injured during a match shall be at once removed outside the nearest goal or touch-line, and the game resumed. (International Board, June 13, 1914.)

If a player uses violent or bad language to a Referee, it will be deemed to be violent conduct within the meaning of Law 13. Referees are also required to deal more effectively with cases of misconduct on the part of players, officials and spectators. (Council, December 14, 1903.)

Without permission of the Referee, no person shall be allowed on the field of play during a match other than the Linesmen and players.

It is misconduct for any association or club, or any player, official, or member of any association or club to offer, or attempt to offer, either directly or indirectly, any consideration whatever to another club, player, or players of any other club, with a view to influence the result of a match. It is misconduct for any club, player or players, to accept any such consideration.

A Linesman is justified by Law 14 in directing the Referee's attention to distinct breaches of the Laws which have come under his notice, and which he is satisfied the Referee could not see, and Referees should confer with the Linesmen in such a case, especially where the Linesmen are neutral.

It is the duty of the Referees to act upon the information of neutral linesmen with regard to incidents that do not come under the personal notice of Referee. (Council, March, 1920.)

Instructions to Referees.—The duty of a Referee to order a player off for violent conduct, or after a caution for ungentlemanly behavior, is emphasized by the International Board.

The Referee must keep the score and also the time, and allow for time wasted, and stop the game as he thinks fit, though in the case of the game abruptly terminating, he is bound to report the fact to the local or governing body within three days.

Referees must report cases of misconduct to the governing body.

As regards rough play, the Referee has absolute discretion. Where he considers the conduct of a player dangerous, or likely to cause injury, he must award a free kick. In doing so he must caution the offender, and, if the offense is repeated, order the player off the field of play. The caution must be specific and personal. In the case of violent conduct, a previous caution is not needed. The Referee must not accept an apology.

Avoid (*a*).—Discussing or arguing points with players or officials on the field of play.

(*b.*)—Arguing points with players, officials, or press men off the field of play.

(*c.*)—Pointing at, or placing a hand on a player when cautioning him. Check rough play at the outset.

The Referee is recommended to compare watches with the Linesmen prior to the game and at half time.

The Referee should be very careful in deducting time for stoppages, etc. He should blow his whistle for time or half-time at the exact moment, whether the ball is in play or not. The only case in which time can be extended is that of a penalty kick.

Referees are strongly recommended not to trust to memory alone to keep a record of the game, but to note on paper the time of start and the time at which they would in the ordinary course call half-time or time. They may then easily add to it for wilful delays, or stoppages of the game. The goals scored by each side in the order of occurrence should also be noted.

Trainers must not be allowed on the field of play whilst the game is in progress, unless called by the Referee.

A player who is injured during a match should be at once removed outside the nearest goal or touch-line and the game resumed.

Instructions to Players.—It is impossible for a Referee to please everybody. Remember his difficult position and do not make it more so.

If any disturbance arises go at once to the help of the Referee.

Betting is prohibited.

LAW XIV.

Duties and Powers of Linesmen.

Two Linesmen shall be appointed, whose duty (subject to the decision of the Referee) shall be to decide when the ball is out of play, and which side is entitled to the corner-kick, goal-kick, or throw-in; and to assist the Referee in carrying out the game in accordance with the Laws. In the event of any undue interference or improper conduct by a Linesman, the Referee shall have power to order him off the field of play and appoint a substitute, and report the circumstances to the association having jurisdiction over him, who shall deal with the matter.

Official Decisions.—Wherever it is possible linesmen should be neutral. Linesmen where neutral must call the attention of the Referee to rough play or ungentlemanly conduct, and generally assist him to carry out the game in a proper manner.

Linesmen where neutral may be asked by the Referee to give an opinion on the ball crossing the goal-line between the posts.

A player shall not act as Linesman or Referee during suspension.

A Linesman is justified by Law 14 in directing the Referee's attention to distinct breaches of the Law which have come under his notice, and which he is satisfied the Referee could not see, and Referees should confer with the Linesmen in such a case, especially where the Linesmen are neutral. (Council, December 14, 1903.)

Linesmen who observe incidents on the field of play likely to bring the game into disrepute, must, if such incidents have not come under the notice of the Referee, immediately report them to him. Should a Referee fail to report misconduct which comes under his notice, and it is proved to the satisfaction of the governing body that such misconduct was of a nature that required investigation, he shall be suspended, or otherwise dealt with.

It is the duty of Referees to act upon the information of neutral Linesmen with regard to incidents that do not come under the personal notice of Referees. (Council, March, 1920.)

Instructions to Referees.—Linesmen must signal when the ball is out of play, and indicate which side is entitled to the corner-kick, goal-kick, or throw-in. They must also call the attention of

the Referee to rough play or ungentlemanly conduct, and must give their opinion on any point on which the Referee may consult them.

If they notice any breach of the Laws that has escaped the Referee's attention it is their duty to inform him of it.

The Referee has power to order a Linesman off the field for undue interference or improper conduct and to appoint a substitute. This authority should only be exercised in extreme cases, as a warning will probably be sufficient.

LAW XV.

Ball in Play until Decision given.

In the event of a supposed infringement of the Laws, the ball shall be in play until a decision has been given.

Instructions to Referees.—The ball is in play until the whistle sounds, but the Referee should decide promptly. If in doubt consult the Linesmen.

If the Referee declines to accept an appeal a shake of the head, or the words "play on" may sometimes be used with advantage.

When the Referee has once given his decision and play has been resumed, he must not alter it.

Instructions to Players.—Don't stop playing till the whistle sounds, and the decision once given don't importune the Referee to reverse it, or annoy him by remarks.

LAW XVI.

Re-starting the Game after Temporary Suspension.

In the event of any temporary suspension of play from any cause, the ball not having gone into touch or behind the goal-line, the Referee shall drop the ball where it was when play was suspended, and it shall be in play when it has touched the ground. If the ball goes into touch or behind the goal-line before it is played by a player, the Referee shall again drop it. The players on either side shall not play the ball until it has touched the ground.

Instructions to Referees.—Law 16 expressly states that the ball shall be dropped. It must not be thrown down.

Instructions to Players.—A player is not allowed to play the ball until it has touched the ground.

LAW XVII.

Free Kick.

In the event of any infringement of Laws 5, 6, 8, 10, or 16, or of a player being sent off the field under Law 13, a free kick shall be awarded to the oppo-

site side, from the place where the infringement occurred.

Official Decisions.—A FREE KICK is a kick at the ball in any direction the player pleases, when it is lying on the ground. A place kick, a free kick, or a penalty kick must not be taken until the Referee has given a signal for the same.

Cases of handling the ball, and tripping, pushing, kicking or holding an opponent, and charging an opponent from behind may so happen as to be considered unintentional, and when this is so, no penalty must be awarded. (International Board, June 16, 1902.)

Instructions to Referees.—The Referee should refrain from awarding a free kick if it is to the advantage of the side offended against to allow the play to go on.

Again the Referee is reminded of the fact that it is the intentional breach of Law which must be punished.

Instructions to Players.—The Referee should refrain from awarding a free kick if it is to the advantage of the side offended against to allow the play to go on.

Penalty Kick. In the event of any intentional infringement of Law 9 outside the penalty area, or by the attacking side within the penalty area, a free kick shall be awarded to the opposite side from the place where the infringement occurred. In the event of any intentional infringement of Law 9 by the defending side within the penalty area, the Referee shall award the opponents a penalty kick which shall be taken from the penalty kick mark under the following conditions: All players, with the exception of the player taking the penalty kick and the opponents' goal-keeper shall be outside the penalty area. The opponents' goal-keeper shall not advance beyond his goal line. The ball must be kicked forward. The ball shall be in play when the kick is taken, and a goal may be scored from a penalty kick; but the ball shall not be again played by the kicker until it has been played by another player. If necessary, time of play shall be extended to admit of the penalty kick being taken. A free kick shall also be awarded to the opposite side if the ball is not kicked forward, or is

played a second time by the player who takes the penalty kick until it has been played by another player. The Referee may refrain from putting the provisions of this Law into effect in cases where he is satisfied that by enforcing them he would be giving an advantage to the offending side. If when a penalty kick is taken the ball passes between the goal-posts, under the bar, the goal shall not be nullified by reason of any infringement by the defending side.

Official Decisions.—Unless the penalty kick is taken in accordance with the Law, the Referee must order the ball back until it is properly taken.

If, on taking a penalty kick, the ball rebounds from the goal posts or bar, and the kicker plays it a second time, a free kick must be awarded.

Cases of handling the ball, and tripping, pushing, kicking or holding an opponent, and charging an opponent from behind may so happen as to be considered unintentional, and when this is so, no penalty must be awarded. (International Board, June 16, 1902.)

If a player deliberately trips an opponent who is standing in an off-side position within the penalty area, and who does not attempt to play the ball or obstruct, a penalty kick should be awarded.

A penalty kick can be awarded irrespective of the position of the ball at the time the offense is committed. (International Board, June 16, 1902.)

When a goal results from a penalty kick, it shall not be nullified, although there may have been an infringement of law by the defending side.

If a goal-keeper has been changed without the Referee being notified, and the new goal-keeper handles the ball within the penalty area, a penalty kick must be awarded. (International Board, June 17, 1901.)

In the event of the ball touching the goal-keeper before passing between the posts, when a penalty kick is being taken at the expiration of time, a goal is scored. (International Board, June 17, 1901.)

The Laws of the Game are intended to provide that games should be played with as little interference as possible, and in this view it is the duty of Referees not to give penalties for technical or supposed breaches. Constant whistling for trifling and doubtful breaches produce bad feeling and loss of temper on the part of the players and spoils the pleasure of spectators. (Council, December 14, 1903.)

Where a defending player is ordered off the field for kicking or striking an opponent within the pen-

alty area, the Referee also has the power to award a penalty kick. (Council, November 5, 1906.)

Instructions to Referees.—Extending the arms to keep an opponent back, though not actually catching hold of him with the hand, is considered to be holding.

Should the ball hit the goal-post or bar and rebound into play, the player who played it must not play it again until it has been played by another player. Should he do so a free kick must be given against him.

The goal-keeper, defending a penalty kick, must not advance beyond his goal line.

The penalty kick can only be awarded for the following nine offenses, intentionally committed by a player of the defending side within the penalty area:

1. Tripping an opponent.
2. Kicking an opponent.
3. Striking an opponent.
4. Jumping at an opponent.
5. Handling the ball.
6. Holding an opponent.
7. Pushing an opponent.
8. Charging an opponent violently or dangerously.
9. Charging an opponent from behind.

Until the Referee has satisfied himself that the players are in their proper positions he should not give a signal for the kick to be taken. Any player wilfully encroaching should first be cautioned and on a repetition be ordered off the field of play. A penalty kick can be taken after time has expired.

Once more the Referee is reminded that it is the intentional breach of Law that must be punished.

The Referee must not signal for a penalty kick, but let the play go on if he considers it would be to the advantage of the side offended against.

The decision of the International Board of June 16, 1902, only refers to when the ball is within the field of play.

It is a common fault of Referees that, when players have committed offenses for which they should have been ordered off the field of play, a penalty kick only has been awarded. The awarding of a penalty kick does not free a Referee from the duty of also ordering the offender off the field of play, where the offense is such as justifies this.

Instructions to Players.—Players are not required to stand behind the ball, but may take up their position anywhere outside the penalty area, but within the field of play.

There is a practice of players yelling or making other noises with the object of putting either the goal-keeper or the kicker at a disadvantage. Be gentlemen and treat your opponents as such.

Players must wait for the Referee's signal before taking the penalty kick.

A player may not rush in from his place outside the penalty area until the ball has been kicked. If he does so he may be cautioned, and on repeating the offense be ordered off the field of play.

The kick must be forward.

Though a penalty kick may be deserved, the Referee is empowered not to enforce it, if to do so would benefit the offenders. Also if a penalty kick is awarded, and scores, the Referee must ignore any infringement by the defenders, and let the goal stand.

Definitions of Names and Terms in Association Football

By Douglas Stewart.

Back—One of the two players who stand in front of the goalkeeper, and whose duties are mainly defensive.

Back Up—To follow closely a man of one's own side who is in possession of the ball in order to be in convenient position to take a pass from him, if he is too hard pressed, or to continue the dribbling if he should overrun the ball.

Ball—See Law 1 of the Laws of the Game.

Behind—A ball is said to be behind when driven over the goal line by one of the attacking side. If by one of the defending side a *corner kick* is given.

Bully—Any confused play in which several men are close together and keep kicking the ball into one another. Especially used of such play when it occurs in front of goal, or when the referee throws up the ball on restarting a game after an accident.

Bye—A shot that crosses the goal line and goes behind, but fails to go between the goal posts.

Carrying—By the goalkeeper is the act of carrying or bouncing the ball a greater distance than two steps.

Center—The forward who plays with the two wing players on either side of him, combining with and feeding them.

Charge—To throw one's weight against an opponent, using for the purpose any part of the body from shoulder to hip.

Charging—violent or dangerous—Is charging with undue force, or unfairly; largely a matter of discretion with the referee. *From behind*—To charge a player from behind who is not intentionally obstructing an opponent.

Clear—To kick or throw the ball well away when dangerously near to the goal.

Conduct, Violent—The use of violent or bad language to a referee.

Corner—See Law 7 of the Laws of the Game.

Dead Ball—The ball is dead whenever it is out of play, and this is only when the ball is outside the field of play, or when the game is suspended for a moment to allow the infliction of a penalty kick or the award of a free kick for a foul.

Dribbling—Propelling a ball by slight touches, so that, while the runner keeps at full speed, it never gets too far away from him to control it.

Feed—To give to one of the same side a succession of convenient passes.

Forwards—The five players who form the front line of a team, arranged as follows: left outside, left inside, center, right inside, right outside.

Foul—Originally any deliberate unfairness in tackling a man, now often used for accidental illegality, e. g., a "foul throw."

Free Kick—Is a kick at the ball in any direction the player pleases, when it is lying on the ground.

Fullback—See *Back*.

Gate—(1) Money taken from the crowd that comes to see a football match, or (2) persons composing the crowd.

Goal—See Law 1 of the Laws of the Game.

Goalkeeper—The player who stands between the posts, who is allowed to use his hands within his own penalty area.

Goal Kick—The kick out when the ball has gone behind. It must be made from a spot within six yards of the nearest goal post.

Goal Line—The line which runs from corner to corner of the ground under the cross-bar.

Goal Net—A net work behind the goal, into which the ball passes if it goes through, and thereby assists the referee in determining disputes as to whether it went over or under the bar.

Ground—See Law 1 of the Laws of the Game.

Hacking—Deliberately kicking at an opponent.

Halfback—One of the three players who keep between the full-backs and the forwards, feeding the latter and helping the former to keep back the opponents.

Handling or Hands—Wilfully touching the ball with any part of the arm when in play. Only the goalkeeper can do so without a penalty and then only within his penalty area. *Hands* is given against the offender.

Holding—Is the holding of a player by any part of the hand or arm extending from the body.

Kick-off—The kick at the center of the ground when the game begins, or is restarted after half time, or after a goal has been scored. The side losing the toss commences the match; the side winning the toss kicks off at half time, and the side that loses the goal kicks off during the game.

Knock-on—Hitting the ball forward with hands or arms.

Linesman—The official who stops the game when the ball goes out of the field of play, and decides whose is the right to throw in.

Marking a Man—Keeping close to an opponent in order to hamper him if he should receive the ball.

Off-side—See Law 6 of the Laws of the Game.

Pass—To kick the ball deliberately to a colleague.

Penalty Area—That space marked out in front of either goal, within which unfair play is punished with special severity.

Penalty Kick—See Law 17, Laws of the Game.

Place-kick—A kick at the ball while it is on the ground in the center of the field of play.

Points—Each goal simply one point.

Pushing—Using the hands or arms to push an opponent.

Referee—The official who is charged with the duty of starting the game, keeping time, and stopping, and penalizing all unfair and illegal play. He is also charged with the keeping of the score.

Shin Guards—Short pads of cane and leather, sometimes worn down the front of the leg as a protection from accidental hacks.

Striking—The act of bringing the hands or arms into forcible contact with the body of an opponent.

Tackle—To put one's self in front of a player who is dribbling the ball, and either take it away or force him to get rid of it at a disadvantage.

Take the Man—To support a player of one's own side who is about to kick the ball by charging an opponent who is coming up with a view to kick it.

Team—One side in a match, consisting of eleven men.

Ten Yards Circle—A circle of ten yards radius drawn round the center of the field upon which the ball is placed for the kick-off. No one of the side opposed to the kicker-off is allowed to come within the circle.

Throw-in—See Law 5 of the Laws of the Game.

Time—Usually forty-five minutes each way.

Touch—The space at the sides of the field of play, separated from it by the touch lines.

Tripping—Intentionally throwing, or attempting to throw, an opponent by the use of the legs, or by stooping in front of him.

Volley—To kick a ball before it bounces.

Wing Forward—One of the pairs of forwards on either side of the center.

Rules for Indoor Soccer Football

Indoor soccer is fast becoming so generally played, more especially for training purposes, not only on the Pacific Coast but also in various northern states where outdoor play is impossible for considerable periods in some years, that the rules for the indoor game, as devised by Mr. Harry Maloney, Associate Physical Director of Leland Stanford University, California, and presented herewith, are expected to prove of widespread interest.

By Harry Maloney, Leland Stanford University.

1. *Field of play.* This may be any unobstructed gymnasium or hall. There shall not be any side or end boundaries. The center of the field shall be marked and around it shall be circumscribed a circle of 7 yards diameter. Also through the center of the field shall be drawn from sidewall to sidewall a line, known as the center line.

2. *Goals.* The goals shall be two uprights, 8 feet apart, placed at each end of the hall, within 2 feet of the back wall, and which shall be 4 feet off center. The cross-bar shall be 7 feet from the floor. A line shall be drawn on the floor between the goal posts and a rectangle shall be drawn from post to post outside extending into the floor area 5 feet. This shall be known as the goal or guard box.

3. *The ball.* A partially inflated soccer or water polo ball shall be used.

4. *Number of players.* There shall be five players on each team, namely three forwards, one back, and a goal-keeper.

5. *Time of play.* The time of play shall be 15-minute halves, with 5 minutes intermission. The captains may agree to different length of halves.

6. *Officials.* There shall be one referee, one scorer, and a timekeeper.

7. *Playing rules*:

(a) The captain who wins the toss has the option of either the goal he desires to defend, or the kick-off.

(b) *Kick-off.* At the start the teams shall line up in their respective territories. The referee shall place the ball in the center of the field and put the ball in play by blowing the whistle. The defensive side shall remain outside the circle and behind the center line until one of the opposing side touches the ball. The positions of the offensive side is not limited except that all players on the side must be behind the center line on the kick-off.

(c) The ball may be kicked, butted with the head, stopped with the body, but the hands shall not be used at any time.

(d) There are no offside plays. Any player may kick the ball from any spot at any time he chooses except as provided for in case of free kicks.

(e) The goal is made by kicking the ball or butting it from any point outside the guard's box, under the cross-bar, and between the goal post. Ball must touch a second player on kick-off from center before goal can be scored. A field goal scores 2 points.

(f) Free kick is given for a foul by the opposite side. In this the ball is placed on a mark 20 feet from the center of the goal. All players from both sides must line up back of this mark, except the guard who is protecting the goal. The try-for-goal must be an honest attempt to kick the ball between the goal posts.

(g) The guard may use his hands and arms or any part of his body in batting, catching, or obstructing the ball while he is in the goal box. If he steps out of his box, he is subject to the rules governing the other players and may not have another player take his place during his absence. He is not allowed to throw the ball if he catches it, but he may have a free kick from the front of the circle, in which case the members of his team shall line up even with the goal posts and the opposing team shall line up in the center of the gymnasium.

(h) *Fouls.* The fouls shall be: Holding, batting or stopping the ball with any part of the hand or arms held away from the body; using hands or arms and pushing, striking or holding the player; carrying the ball or delaying the game; tripping; crossing into the goal box by either team; unnecessary roughness; back charging.

Note—Pushing, jostling, or the like, is not forbidden against a player who is after the ball unless in the opinion of the referee it results in unnecessary roughness, in which case the play shall be penalized.

(i) The rules concerning default, or forfeit of games protests, derogatory remarks, delaying the game, and ungentlemanly behavior are the same as in other games.

(j) Heavy or stiff shoes may not be worn. Flexible rubber tennis shoes or gymnasium shoes only may be worn. Shin guards are allowable.

(k) In case of a tie when time is called, either side must win two points to decide the game.

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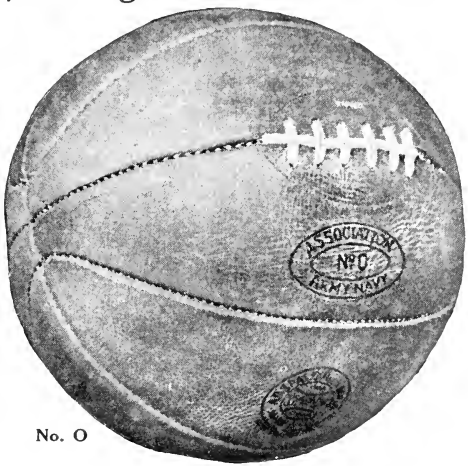

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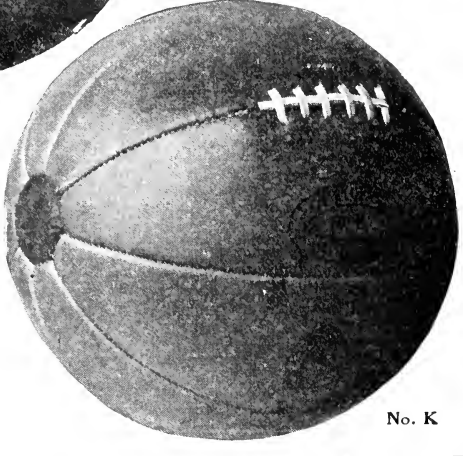

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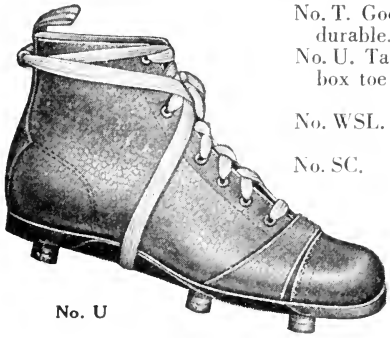

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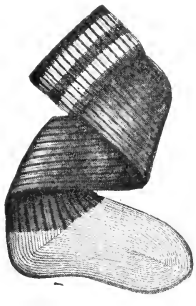

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